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SUMMARY.

Germany, it is reported claims, among other things, 30 per cent. of all Moroccan Public works allotted to French subjects.

It is stated that France proposes to cede territory in Morocco equal in extent to two-thirds of the area of France itself.

Forty German warships are manoeuvring in the Great Belt, and have done a good deal of injury to the fishing fleet.

There is much irritation in Denmark over this encroachment upon territorial waters.

The rates of insurance against the outbreak of war have risen to 12 guineas per cent.

A severe drought prevails in England. The water supply in Manchester has been curtailed.

A great Royalist plot has been discovered 60 miles from Oporto. Many arrests have been made.

The State of Maine, by a narrow majority, has refused to repeal prohibition.

St. Andrews University, Scotland, is celebrating its quingentenary.

The Earl of Dudley has arrived at Witley Court, his residence in Worcestershire.

The Most Rev. W. Alexander, D.D., late Primate of All Ireland, is dead.

There has been a continuance of the schoolboy strikes in various places in England.

The strikers at Hull stoned the teachers, and intimidated the non-strikers.

Twenty bags of letters were conveyed from Hendon to Windsor by the aero mail.

The dear-food riots continue in many districts in France.

Housewives appropriate goods on their own terms when the vendors ask excessive prices.

Mdlle. Helene du Trieu, at Chalons, aeroplaned 143 miles, winning the "Femina" Cup.

Before the Railway Commission a non-unionist testified that a majority of the men were against recognition of the unions.

Midland railway men are asking for a national strike if the recent strikers are penalised.

The trades unions in Bilbao, Spain, have declared a general strike.

The failure of the rice crop in Siam is threatening a famine in Singapore.

Huge crowds surrounded the Viceroy's yamen at Chingtu, protesting against the nationalisation of the railways.

The Viceroy ordered troops to fire on the crowd, many of whom were killed or wounded.

A detachment of Uhlans were crossing the Elbe River when an officer and 10 men were drowned.

Another crater has opened on Mount Etna, and the lava is devastating vineyards and cottages.

The Rev. Mr. Swann, Vicar of Crosby, rowed from Dover to Calais in a 20ft skiff in 3h 50m—the record.

The steamer Papanui, bound from England to Australia, put into St. Helena with her bunkers on fire.

She is now on fire from stem to stern, and has already been gutted.

Steps are being taken in Milwaukee to stop the Wolgast-McFarland boxing contest.

The American tennis players won the singles in the preliminary tie matches in connection with the Davis Cup.

There was a great gathering at the schools demonstration on the Sydney Cricket Ground yesterday.

No fewer than 10,000 children took part in the competitions and displays.

Nothing finer has been done by the children than the Living Crown, which was a gorgeous tableau.

Mr. Hughes has been prevented by illness from attending to his departmental duties.

His indisposition is attributed in some degree to the effects of overwork.

Questions were asked in the House of Representatives as to the payment of bounty in the iron industry.

The Minister for Customs stated that the total sum paid to Hoskins, Ltd., was £54,791.

The Minister for Home Affairs gave notice of his intention to bring in the Transcontinental Railway Bill.

The Defence Department is pushing on with all speed the supplying of cadets with uniforms and equipment.

The trustees of the Cooper estate have enabled their tenants to acquire the freehold of an area of 493 acres.

No less than 12,315 civilian riflemen have been returned as efficient.

Father Shaw has completed his "wireless" station at King Island, Tasmania.

The shearers' case, which is drawing to a conclusion, has already occupied 55 days in hearing.

The Railway Commissioners are faced with the necessity of obtaining more hands to meet the summer traffic.

There is no prospect of a settlement of the wheeler's strike at Wallsend Colliery.

The management say that the men's grievances will be removed if they return to work.

At Perth the Crown prosecuted tipsmiters who had ceased work on the masters refusing increased pay.

The defence contended that they were not on strike, but merely ceased work for higher rates.

The brickmakers and plumbers, who demand higher rates, also repudiate the idea of being on strike.

The Commonwealth Government's Harness factory at Clifton Hill (Vic.) was officially opened yesterday.

The Food Commission examined fishermen in the oyster industry at Port Macquarie as to the mode of packing, etc.

The final session of the annual conference of the Christian Endeavour Union were held yesterday.

One speaker was of opinion that the tendency of the age was towards atheism.

There is a feeling of restlessness among the iron-moulders about handling Lithgow pig-iron.

A strike of members of the union called upon to handle non-union material is talked of.

Extensive grass fires are raging on Alice Downs and Maryvale (Q.), travelling in the direction of Charleville.

In the Assembly a motion of dissent from the Speaker's ruling on the prevarication charge against Mr. Wade was negatived.

The adjournment of the House was moved to discuss the congestion in the tramway traffic.

The Minister for Works gave notice of nine public works proposals.

Mr. James Rutherford, one of the best-known Australian pioneers, died at Mackay yesterday in his 85th year.

He was one of the original partners of Cobb and Co.

A great audience crowded the Melbourne Town Hall last night to hear Dr. Mawson on the Antarctic expedition.

The Commonwealth Government has decided to recommend a grant of £5000 to the expedition.

Dredging operations are in progress at Circular Quay, in preparation for the changes in the allotment of berths.

The part of the Quay known as the E. and A. wharf will probably be kept for the development of ferry traffic.

In the Tasmanian Assembly a Labour member stated that the Labour party did not approve of wages boards.

In the import markets Eastern produce is strong and advancing in price.

The report of the expected famine in Siam caused some anxiety as to the future position of rice in the local markets.

Silver shares were w... [illegible], owing to a cabled fall in lead and tin.

Forecast.—A few scattered showers on the south-east corner of the State; otherwise comparatively fine generally. A short-lived southerly likely on the southern coast.

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ORMUZ	6,4..	Cox	Oct. 14	Oct. 18	Oct. 20
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THURSDAY ISLAND, NORMANTON, BURKETOWN. — WYREEMA (New Steamer, Twin Screw, 6500 Tons), TUESDAY, 8 p.m., September 19. (Transhipping at Brisbane).

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MACLEAY RIVER.—YULGILBAR, THIS DAY, 2 p.m.
MANNING RIVER.—MAIANBAR, MONDAY NEXT.
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The Concessions and Permis des Recherches embrace an area of about 7850 hectares, equal to about 19,400 acres, and the whole will be sold in one line.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a deposit (bank cheque or cash) equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of such tender, and must be addressed to "The Trustees of the Estate of R. D. Oswald, 113 Queen-street, Melbourne."

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For tender-forms, inspection of leases, particulars of plans, terms and conditions of sale, and further particulars, apply to the National Trustees Company, 113 Queen-street, Melbourne.

Sydney Harbour Trust Office,
Circular Quay, 11th September, 1911.
TENDERS FOR REINFORCED CONCRETE CYLINDERS.
TENDERS will be received at this office up to 2 p.m. on the 18th instant for the Supply and Delivery of REINFORCED CONCRETE CYLINDERS for use in the Construction of the Roadway at No. 6 Jetty, Woolloomooloo Bay, and in connection with New Wharfage Accommodation at Jones Bay, Pyrmont.
Forms of Tender and full particulars may be obtained upon application to the Engineer-in-Chief of the Trust.
HAROLD F. NORRIE,
(7a-28) Secretary.

TO OYSTER MERCHANTS AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on Saturday, 23rd September instant, from persons willing to purchase the Leasehold rights of and to some 4570 yards of foreshore, in the Macleay River district, situate in the best position for cultivation of oysters. The whole area has been improved and permanent beds formed. The present holder realised over £350 during last year on sale of his catch. For further details apply to
JOHN WHITE,
5 Bulletin-place, Sydney.

TENDERS are invited for FENCING, ASPHALTING, and MINOR ALTERATIONS to five houses, Marrickville. Specification and particulars may be obtained from J. BOYD MACDONALD,
Architect,
Bell's-chambers, 129 Pitt-street.

TENDERS for large Villa for D. Mulcahy, Esq., Dudley-st, Randwick. Tenders close Monday, 25th inst. Plans and specifications at my office, J. FRANK WHITE, Architect, 94 Pitt-st.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of 2 Brick W.Cls., at St. Cuthbert's Church, N. Kogarah. Plans may be seen at Mr. Smith's residence, Hillcrest, Kogarah-road.

TENDERS wanted for External Painting of Brick Residence, stables, and all outhouses, at Leichhardt. For all information apply WEILAND, 120 Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the Construction and Erection of a New Jetty at Avenue Lands, Balmain. Plan and specification can be inspected at the office of Mort's Dock and Eng. Co., Ltd., Balmain.

TENDERS wanted, Fencing, Job at ..., Randwick. W. R. J. Cox.

TENDERS wanted for Flooring, ... Belmore-rd, Coogee, near Beach. ... Hill Bros.

TENDERS.—Price Painting Premises, ... of Crewn-st, Surry Hills. ... Forman.

TENDERS WANTED Connect 2 Cottages with Sewer, New Canterbury-rd, P'sham, op. Langdon Tim. Yd.

TENDERS WANTED for BRICKWORK, Villa, Torrington-rd and Boulevard, Strathfield.

TENDERS, Brickwork of 2 Cottages. Apply 7 Railway-st, Petersham; or new job, Yanuary-st, ...

TENDERS for Fencing, constant work. ... St. George's-crescent, Drummoyne.

TENDERS, Plastering two Shop Fronts. Peters Bros., Meagher-st, Chippendale.

TENDERS, Bricklaying, 30,000, ... Bobreyd Park Greystanes, Albert-st, Leichhardt.

TENDERS invited for 2 pairs semi-detached Brick Cottages. Plans, Steamboat Hotel, Ryde.

TENDERS for FENCING, material on ground. Milroy-av, Kensington. H. Smith.

TENDERS wtd., prices Connect Sewer and Cistern, lab. only. Premises, Wharf-st, Leichhardt.

TENDERS invited Erecting Lean-to, W.B. Room, 12 x 24. Plans, Wiley, Dunmore, Division-st, L. Cog.

TENDERS wanted for partly Painting house, labour only. 23 Carlow-st, North Sydney.

TENDERS, 500ft. FENCING. Paterson, Norton-st, Leichhardt, next Picture Show.

TENDERS.—Bricklayers, price wtd., Bricks, Scaffolding, 1 job. Gorman's Job, Cremorne Pt., Cremorne, ready.

TENDERS.—Lathers, 14s per 100, ... Job, Keston-av, Mosman.

TO BRICKLAYERS.—Tender wanted for Chimney and Piers. 4 Moore-st, Campsie. Shearer.

TO PLASTERERS.—Tenders wanted for Plastering. Apply Balgownie, David-st, Marrickville.

TO PLUMBERS.—Tender wanted to lay on Water. 4 Moore-st, Campsie. Shearer.

TO PLASTERERS.—Price wanted for Cottage. Fowler and Fowler, opp. Public School, Mosman.

WANTED, 20,000 SANDSTOCKS. Job, corner of Bourke and Burton sts, Darlinghurst.

TIME SHEETS (Ind. Disputes Act), 1s 100, 1s 3d posted, 5s 6d 1000, 5s sub., 5s 6d country; Wages Books; All Builders' Wages Board Awards to date, 1s 6d. ZIONS, 14 Castlereagh-street, near Moore-street.

AUCTION SALES.

NOTICE. NOTICE.

TO
HORSE BUYERS.

Further advices are to hand for our TAMWORTH HORSE SALE, COMMENCING MONDAY NEXT.

WE WILL NOW POSITIVELY YARD 700 HEAD—PROBABLY MORE.

BUYERS GOING FROM SYDNEY REQUIRE TO LEAVE NOT LATER THAN SUNDAY NEXT, BY THE 1.10 P.M. (10 minutes past 8) BRISBANE MAIL, OR THE GLEN INNES TRAIN LEAVING AT 7.15 P.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, SYDNEY; LANDERS AND CANTRELL, TAMWORTH, Auctioneers in conjunction.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR, THIS DAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 10.30 sharp, Vans, Springcarts, Horses, and Harness; Draught Horses, Tipcarts, Horses, and Harness; and at 11 a.m., Horses and Vehicles of every description specially advertised. Tel., 1331.

LIGHT CARRYALL AND HARNESS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction at their Bazaar THIS DAY (Thursday), at 11.30 a.m., The above, in good order.

HOODED PHAETON BUGGY TURNOUT.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mrs. Cavill to sell by auction at their Bazaar THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., Chestnut Gelding, very quiet and reliable, a real good mover; Hooded Phaeton Buggy and Harness.

FIRST-CLASS BUGGY HORSE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. F. A. Mackenzie to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Bay Gelding, a first-class Buggy Horse.

RELIABLE 13-HAND PONY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. S. A. Walker to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Bay Pony Gelding, very thickset, about 13 hands, quiet to city traffic, drive open bridle.

THOROUGHBRED FILLY, 13.3, AND CHILD'S PONY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Thos. O'Sullivan, Kangaroo Valley, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Brown Filly, 3yrs., 13.3, handled to lead, by Gamelaw from Elwin (full sister to Lord Elwin); also Miniature Pony, 9 hands, very quiet, used to children.

QUAY STREET.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, at 11 a.m.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell as above, on account of Messrs. D. BUFFIER, McINTOSH BROS., A. ANSCHAU, and others, 40 First-class MILCH COWS, in full milk, from the best dairies in the South and Hunter districts.

DRAUGHT STALLION.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, at 12 o'clock, LORD CARRINGTON, Chestnut Draught Stallion, foaled 1903, sire Colonel, dam Bess, by Springfield Laddie (imp.).

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, SYDNEY.
TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, AT 2 P.M.
HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
80 HEAD. 80 HEAD.
Comprising:
EXTRA GOOD HEAVY and MEDIUM DRAUGHTS, including a consignment of NEW ZEALAND PEDIGREE DRAUGHT FILLIES, WORTHY OF BUYERS' SPECIAL ATTENTION.
Full particulars last Saturday's issue.
WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, Auctioneers.

ST. MARYS CATTLE SALE.
OUR NEXT SALE at the above YARDS will be held on FRIDAY, SEPT. 22nd, 1911.
OWNERS who intend favouring us with the sale of their stock for that date will oblige by forwarding particulars at once.
WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON, AUCTIONEERS.

ST. MARYS CATTLE SALES.
Our Next Sale at the Newmarket Yards, St. Marys, will be held on FRIDAY, 6th October. Owners who intend offering any Cattle on this date will please advise us at their earliest convenience.
WEAVER and PERRY, Castlereagh House, Sydney.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
60 HEAD. 60
HOMEBUSH HORSE SALE YARDS, SATURDAY NEXT, SEPT. 16, 1.30 p.m. sharp.
J. H. BEALE AND CO. Will sell by Auction, 60 HORSES, comprising all classes, and including consignments from Curlewis, Currabubula, and Boggabri.
Fuller particulars To-morrow.
Auctioneers' offices, 280 Pitt-street, Sydney. 'Phone, City 465.

B. O. WALKER and CO. (late R. F. MURPHY and CO.), will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Thomas-street, Haymarket, Eggs, Bacon, Pork, etc., 1 o'clock; Poultry of all Classes, at 2 o'clock.

C. J. TURNER sells, at his Rooms, Valentine-street, Haymarket, THIS DAY, as under:—
1.15: Ducklings, Chicks, Birds, etc.
1.30: Eggs, then Poultry.

WOOL SALES will be held TO-DAY at the Sydney Wool Exchange at 3 p.m. as under:—
SCHUTE, BELL, and CO., Ltd.: 1153 bales.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Ltd.: 858 bales.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:— Hair, Horns, etc, at 10 a.m.; Tallow, at 2.30 p.m.

To Parties Furnishing, Dealers, and Others. THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock sharp.
DINING TABLES, Austrian Chairs, Washstands, Ware, Chests Drawers, T. Tables, T. Glasses, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, Bedsteads, Wires, Bedding, Home Phonograph (Edison), 6 Phonographs, 150 Records, Gramophone and Records; 500 lots Men's and Women's Clothing, Children's Clothing, Jewellery, etc.
HENRY LEVY will sell by auction, at 135 Regent-street. NO RESERVE.

TO-DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, AT OUR SALEROOMS, 124, 126, 128 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
500 THEATRE CHAIRS,
Iron Framed, Folding Up, Suitable for Picture Shows, etc., with 200 EXTRA SEATS and Sundries and Parts.
FIVE UPHOLSTERED LOUNGES, 6, 7, and 8 feet, well finished, in good order.
THREE ENGLISH GAS RANGES, Manufactured by Wilson and Sons, Leeds, England.
126 WHITE H. COMB QUILTS,
17 FUR MATS, WITH TAILS,
20 FUR MATS, 2 ANGORA-SKIN RUGS,
3 ENAMELLED IRON BATHS,
QUANTITY BLOUSES, SKIRTS, COSTUMES, ETC.
12 CASES PRINTERS' TYPE,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
VAPOUR BATH, BEDSTEADS, LINOLEUMS, ETC.
NEW "MONARCH" VISIBLE TYPEWRITER,
RONEO COPYING MACHINE,
TWO ROLLTOP DESKS, 5ft and 4ft 6in.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
DEAN AND COMPANY,
SUCCESSORS TO
S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY.

TO PIANOFORTE MANUFACTURERS, Cabinetmakers, Woodworkers, Furniture Manufacturers, and Others.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, SEPT. 14th, AT 11 A.M., on the Premises, LITTLE OXFORD-STREET, off BOURKE-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
WALNUT AND ROSEWOOD PIANO CARCASES, ACTIONS, STRINGS, SCONCES, HANDLES, FALLS, IRON FRAMES, VENEERS, WALNUT, ROSEWOOD, General Stock-in-trade and Material of a PIANOFORTE MANUFACTURER.
WOODWORKING MACHINERY.
UNIVERSAL WOODWORKER, Planing and Moulding, BAND and FRET SAW, Complete, SHAFTING, BELTING, PULLEYS, VENEERING STOVE, DRILLING MACHINE, ELECTRIC MOTOR, STRING WINDING MACHINE, MACHINERY and TOOLS. FIRST-CLASS GERMAN JOINERS' BENCHES.
DRESSED AND RAW TIMBERS, OFFICE FURNITURE and FITTINGS.
BARNARD AND CO. will sell by auction, as above, POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE. Aus. Offices and Mart: 140 Castlereagh-street.

THIS DAY, AT 11 A.M. SHARP, UNDER IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS. On the premises, LITTLE OXFORD-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
TYPEWRITER, DUPLICATOR, MACHINERY, OFFICE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
BARNARD AND CO. Will sell by auction as above.

FURNITURE, PIANOS, CROCKERY, HOUSE LINEN, ETC.
GREAT SALE, TO-MORROW, AT 11, at 772 GEORGE-STREET, HAYMARKET, corner Barlow-street and Parker-street. Near railway, tram to door.
Parties Refurnishing, Boarding-house Proprietors, and the Trade.
3 LOADS FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
Details in To-morrow's Advt.
HEBDEN BRODRIBB.

THIS DAY, AT 10 A.M.—WOOLF and MANDELBERG, of 48 Park-st, will sell by public auction, Gold and Silver Watches, Guns, Revolvers, Diamond Jewellery, Gladstone and Kit Bags, Bicycles, Iron Safes, Ornaments, Marble Clocks, Opera and Field Glasses, Cutlery, Singer's Sewing Machines, Tents and Flys, etc.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. A DRINK, A TONIC.

ROCKDALE.—BRAY'S PADDOCK ESTATE, in the heart of the town.—SALE, NEXT SATURDAY.

RANDWICK-WAVERLEY.
ABRIDGED ADVERTISEMENT.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
AT THE RESIDENCE, ROWALLAN, ST. MARK'S-ROAD, RANDWICK (per Randwick and Waverley Extension Tram).
Under instructions from JOHN WALLACE, Esq., in consequence of relinquishing Housekeeping.
THE WHOLE OF THE FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
WALNUT UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, BY A. MITTAG, BERLIN.
Etc., etc., etc., As Previously Advertised.
ON VIEW THIS (THURSDAY) MORNING, PRIOR TO SALE, FROM 10 O'CLOCK.
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FURNITURE AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, 15th SEPT., AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION at THE COMMODIOUS SALE ROOMS of JAMES R. LAWSON and LITTLE, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND GENERAL EFFECTS.
Removed from A GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE AT KILLARA, FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
Also, IN A DECEASED ESTATE, SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, Removed from a Residence in Marrickville, and ON ACCOUNT OF NUMEROUS INTERESTS, including NUMEROUS APPOINTMENTS FOR TABLE USE.
SOLID WALNUT SEVEN-FEET SIDEBOARD, of Noble Proportions, and constructed with every modern convenience.
WALNUT SIX-FEET SIDEBOARD.
CARVED ANTIQUE OAK FURNITURE, consisting of SIX-FEET SIDEBOARD AND SUITE OF EIGHT CHAIRS.
CARVED ANTIQUE WALNUT BUFFET OR SIDEBOARD AND ENCLOSED DINNER WAGGON. CARVED ANTIQUE OAK CABINET.
GOLDEN OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE, Comprising Four-feet Sideboard, Six-feet Dining Table, and Dining Suite of Nine Pieces.
OVERMANTELS IN WALNUT AND OAK.
SUPERIOR QUALITY CARPETS.
HALL FURNITURE IN OAK AND WALNUT.
DRAWING-ROOM RECEPTION CHAIRS. DRAWING-ROOM OCCASIONAL TABLES. EBONISED DRAWING-ROOM CABINET, Relieved with Amboyna Wood Panels.
CHOICE WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS. VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS. TWO OLD HAND-WROUGHT TAPESTRY PANELS.
SUPERB LIPP PIANOFORTE,
FULL UPRIGHT GRAND, IN MAGNIFICENT ROSEWOOD CASE, PRACTICALLY NEW.
Also, SEVERAL VALUABLE PIANOFORTES, BY THE LEADING MAKERS, including WEINBERG, SOHNE, CARL HERTZ, SCHWECHTEN, STEINER, A. BORD, and others.
VALUABLE ORGAN, by J. ESTEY AND CO. An exceedingly powerfully toned Organ, suitable for CHURCH, CHAPEL, OR THE HOME.
SUPERIOR BEDROOM SUITES, Made in Oak, Ash, and Morris Green, suitable for Double and Single Apartments.
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BEDSTEADS, Furnished Complete with Best Quality Bedding.
SEVERAL FIRST-CLASS SEWING MACHINES, and AN EXTENSIVE AND MISCELLANEOUS ASSORTMENT of USEFUL FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
QUANTITY HOUSE AND TABLE LINEN.
TWO HANNAM'S PATENT BATH HEATERS.
LADY'S SIDE SADDLE, SUNDRY HARNESS, Etc., etc.
AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,
A 10-15 H.P. DECAUVILLE MOTOR CAR,
Recently Overhauled, in First-class Running Order.
QUANTITY MOTOR CAR TYRES AND INNER TUBES, Etc., etc.
NOW ON VIEW.
JAMES R. LAWSON and LITTLE, FINE ART FURNITURE AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET, near KING-STREET. TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BOARDING-HOUSE AND RESTAURANT PROPRIETORS, FURNITURE DEALERS, AND PRIVATE BUYERS.
THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 14, at 11 a.m.
BONA FIDE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION OF THE CONTENTS OF LARGE BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT AND RESTAURANT, AT 231 GEORGE-STREET NORTH.
PIANOFORTE, by Collard and Collard, Gilt and Black and Gold Overmantel, About 250 Chairs, Austrian and A.G. Seventy Bedsteads, Three-quarter and Single, fitted with wires and bedding, Pair Duchess Toilets, Washstand and Ware, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Linoleums, Coir Matting, Pictures, Oil Paintings, Glassware, Cups and Saucers, Cutlery, Boilers, Kitchen and Cooking Utensils, Two Large Coppers and Steamers, Ice Chest, Wash Basins and Lead Fittings, two Cast-iron Baths, Three Counters, Menu Boards, Galv. Iron and Wooden Partitions, Wire Netting. ABOUT 40 DOORS, SLIDING SASHES, and Window Frames, glazed. TWO LUKER INCANDESCENT LAMPS. TWO OUTSIDE LAMPS, Quantity of Gas Fittings. And a lot of Useful Sundries.
A. G. JENKINS has been instructed by the proprietors to sell as above THIS MORNING.
SPECIAL NOTE.—As the premises are to be at once pulled down, EVERY LINE MUST ABSOLUTELY BE SOLD.

THIS DAY, AT 2.30 P.M., at the Rooms, 84 GEORGE-STREET WEST, A Tremendous Variety of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, for Dining-room, Hall, Bedrooms, and Kitchen; also the Stock of a Manufacturer, comprising several Handsome BEDROOM SUITES, SIDEBOARDS, WARDROBES, Comb. Chests, TABLES, CHAIRS, VERY ELEGANT BEDSTEAD, BEDDING, KIT. DRESSERS, etc., etc. Also, Toilet Ware, Vases, and Ornaments, Linoleums, Carpets, Edison Phonograph, and a Gent.'s Cycle.
NO RESERVE.
HERMAN COHEN AND SON, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE. THIS DAY, 11 A.M.
EXTRAORDINARY NOTICE.
D. PRICE, of Messrs. SALON and PRICE, has been instructed by the MANUFACTURERS TO SELL by Public Auction (NO RESERVE), all the Sample Goods, consisting of GOLD, SILVER, and NICKEL WATCHES, Ladies' and Gent.'s GOLD RINGS, DRESSING CASES, CUTLERY, containing Knives, Forks, Spoons, Beautiful High-class Sample Carvers, and Fish Servers, and a large assortment of up-to-date Ladies' Leather Bags, all the latest designs; Electro-plated Goods, and Clothing. Don't miss this opportunity. Public and Shopkeepers take notice.
SALE COMMENCING AT 11 A.M. SHARP, AT 47 MARKET-STREET.
GOODS MUST BE SOLD. NO RESERVE.
THIS DAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, the UNREDEEMED PLEDGES pawned with the Park-street Mont De Piete Loan Office (J. Ralphs), 8 Park-street, city. Single-stone, Half-hoop, and Cluster Diamond Rings, Gold and Silver Chronographs, English Lever and Waltham Watches, Diamond Brooches, Earrings, Bangles, Lockets, Pins, etc. Gold Alberts, Muff Chains, Links, Chain Bracelets, Trinkets, etc.; Engagement, Signet, Wedding, and Keeper Rings.

THIS DAY, AT 2.30, AT 170 GEORGE-STREET WEST, opp. St. Barnabas' Ch.
MIDDLETON and CO. will sell by auction, 4 Nice Plate-glass Sideboards, Pictures, Carpet, Wal. Overmantels, Sew. Machine, 2 Dining-room Suites, several Bedsteads, Bedding, 2 Wardrobes, Comb. Chests, Washstands, Tables, Chairs, Roller Mangle, Couch, Crockery, Cutlery, Furniture, and Sundries. NO RESERVE.

ROCKDALE.—BRAY'S PADDOCK ESTATE, in the heart of the town.—SALE, NEXT SATURDAY.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. A DRINK, A TONIC.

ORDER OF SALE of SUBURBAN PROPERTIES, to be offered at the Rooms, 113 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11.30 a.m.
FRESHWATER, Manly, only 200ft from Beach.—A valuable corner position, having 33ft to Moore-road, by 120ft along Albert-street, being Lot 1, Dudley Estate.
BEECROFT, only 7 minutes from Station.—For Absolute SALE, Copeland-road, an attractive Weatherboard Cottage, redwood front, 6 rooms, kitchen, verandah back and front, land 2¼ acres, Crown grant.
WATER FRONTAGE, KOGARAH BAY, Sans Souci, only 3 minutes from tram.—A Grand Block, having 42ft 6in to the Promenade, by the handsome depth of 230ft, back to Kogarah Bay, Lot 13, Section 4, Mark's Grant Estate, Torrens.
BRIGHTON-LE-SANDS, Rockdale.—A Fine Lot, having 51ft to Wycombe-avenue, by a depth of 162ft along a reserved road, Torrens.
CABRAMATTA, Handy to Station, 198ft to Cumberland-street, by 198ft, being lots 9, 10, 11, Section 8, Township of Cabramatta, Torrens.
ROCKDALE, Farr-street.—A splendid Building Lot, built on both sides, 40 x 132, Torrens Title. Handy to station. Part of Rockdale Estate.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON AUCTIONEER.
ORDER OF SALE.
CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES, SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION At the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. TO-MORROW (FRIDAY).
CITY.—Brick Store, No. 3 Parker-street, Haymarket. Equity Sale.
CITY.—Block of Land, Dixon-street, near Hordern's Clothing Factory, Haymarket. Equity Sale.
SURRY HILLS.—Two Houses, Nos. 594 and 596 Crown-street, between Devonshire and Cleveland streets.
REDFERN.—Corner Shop and eight Houses, Nos. 79 to 93 Caroline and Abercrombie streets.
WOOLLAHRA.—Cottage, Westend, No. 11 Spicer-street, and Cottage, No. 14 Denison-street, at rear.
WAVERLEY.—Two Houses, Langtoft and Merlin, Nos. 6 and 8 Llandaff-street, between Botany and Cary streets.
DITTO.—Two Houses, Como and Alma, Nos. 13 and 15 Waverley-street, corner of Cary-street.
DITTO.—Two Houses, Netria and Cyrene, Nos. 29 and 31 Waverley-street, between Botany and Cary streets.
DITTO.—House and Cottage, Nos. 101 and 103 Mill Hill-road, between South Head-road and Centennial Park.
DITTO.—ALLOTMENT, Wiley-street, north of Victoria-street. Executor's Sale.
COOGEE.—Allotments, Denning, Evelyn, and Wisdom streets. IN LOTS. Plan on view.
NORTH SYDNEY.—Shop and Dwelling and Land, No. 147 Lane Cove-road, corner of West-street.
MOSMAN.—Block of Land, Prince Alfred-street, opposite Thompson-street.
LEICHHARDT.—Cottage and Shop, Nos. 4 and 6 Hubert-street, near Norton-street.
ASHFIELD.—Two Houses, Nos. 7 and 9 Chandos-street, opposite Webb's-avenue.
DITTO.—Residence, Fernleigh, and 2a 3r 20p, Victoria and Robert streets.
PYMBLE.—Block of 8r 3r 28p, Stony Creek-road, opposite Fern-street.
ST. PETERS.—Allotments, King and Canal (late Ricketty) streets. IN LOTS. Plan on view.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD.
PADDINGTON-ST., PADDINGTON.
No. 104.—A two-story HOUSE, of brick, on stone foundations, with balconies front and rear, and containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land, 13ft x 104ft.
A CAPITAL LETTING POSITION, close to the BELLEVUE HILL TRAMS, fronting PADDINGTON STREET, between ELIZABETH and TAYLOR STREETS.
Auction Sale at Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (5509)

ROCKDALE.—BRAY'S PADDOCK ESTATE, in the heart of the town.—SALE, NEXT SATURDAY.

WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. A DRINK, A TONIC.

BUSINESSES FOR SALE OR WANTED

IVAN HENRY.—HOTEL, city, main thoroughfare, 6 years' lease, rent £2 10s, takings £40 to £50 a wk., Tooth house, £650, free, well furn. 58 Hunter-st.

IVAN HENRY.—HOTEL, industrial sub., perpetual lease, rent £5, average beer trade 12 x 36's wkly., takings £100 wkly., £2800, free house. 58 Hunter-st.

IVAN HENRY.—HOTEL, George-st., lease 20 years, rent £5 5s, takings £160, beer trade 18 x 36's Tooth's weekly, increasing, £6000. 58 Hunter-street.

IVAN HENRY.—COUNTRY HOTEL, Western line, pastoral district, principal town, lease 9 years, rent £5, takings average £80, pr. £2500. 58 Hunter-st.

IVAN HENRY.—COUNTRY HOTEL, Southern line, wheat-growing district, rent £2 10s, lease 5½ yrs., 18 bedrms., etc., well furnished, £1000. 58 Hunter-st.

IVAN HENRY.—COUNTRY HOTEL, North, leading commercial house, 10 yrs.' lease, takings average £130, handsome brick bldg., 50 bedrms., £3000.

BOARDING-HOUSE and RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, city, same hands several years, beautifully furn., low rent, house full, profits £2 10s wkly., price £200. Full particulars from IVAN HENRY, 58 Hunter-street.

ORCHARD and Mixed Farm for Sale, freehold, rich land, fruitgrow., pr. £1050. I. Henry, 58 Hunter-st.

BUTCHERY, cuts 5 bodies, 60 sheep, 10 lambs, 3 pigs wk., well-fit. shop, £230. Ivan Henry, 58 Hunter-st.

HAM and Beef Shop, N. Syd., taks. £16 wk., rent 30s wk., long lse., only £75. Henry, 58 Hunter-st.

HOTELS.—You go to Lake and Company's, 45 Eliz.-st. for Best Value, £200 to £40,000, anywhere.

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CHAPTER XIV.

MAHOMED OFFERS FREEDOM.

Fortune had slept, but only after hours of watchful terror. The slightest sound outside the tent sent a scream into her throat, but she succeeded each time in stifling it. Once the evil laughter of a hyena came over the dead and silent sands, and she put her hands over her ears, shivering. Alone! She laid her head upon the wadded saddle-bags and wept silently, and every sob tore at her heart. She must keep up the farce of being brave when she knew that she wasn't. The men must not be discouraged. Her deportment would characterise theirs; any sign of weakness upon her side would correspondingly depress them the more. She prayed to God to give her the strength to hold out. She was afraid of Mahomed; she was afraid of his grim smile, afraid of his mocking eyes; she could not sponge out the scene wherein he had so gratuitously kicked Horace in the side. Horace! No, she did not believe that she would ever forgive him for this web which he had spun and fallen into himself. Two things she must hide for the sake of them all—her fear of Mahomed and her knowledge of Ryanne's trickery.

What part in this tragedy had the Arab assigned her? Her fingers twined and untwined, and she rocked and rocked, bit her lips, lay down, sat up, and rocked again. But for the exhaustion, but for the insistent call of nature, she would never have closed her eyes that night.

And her mother! What would her mother believe after the scene that had taken place between them? What could she believe, save that her daughter had fulfilled her threat, and run away? And upon this not unreasonable supposition her mother would make no attempt to find out what had become of her. Perhaps she would be glad, glad to be rid of her and her questions. Alone! Well, she had always been alone.

The only ray of sunshine in all was the presence of Jones. She felt, subtly, that he would not only stand between her and Mahomed, but also between her and Ryanne.

"Hush!" whispered George. "Don't let her see you like this. She mustn't know."

"You don't understand," replied Ryanne miserably.

"I believe I do." George's heart was heavy. This man was in love with her, too.

Ryanne struck the tears from his eyes and turned aside his head. He was sick in soul and body. To have walked blindly into a trap like this, of his own making, too! Fool! What had possessed him, usually so keen, to trust the copper-hided devil? All for the sake of one glass of wine! With an effort entailing no meagre pain in his side, he stifled the strangling hiccoughs, swung round and tried to smile reassuringly at the girl.

"You are better?" she asked.

There was in the tone of that question an answer to all his dreams. One night's work had given him his ticket to the land of those weighed and found wanting. She knew; how much he did not care; enough to read his guilt.

It appeared to George that she was accepting the situation with a philosophy deeper than either his or Ryanne's. Not a whimper, not a plaint, not a protest so far had she made. She was a Roland in petticoats.

"Oh, I'm bashed up a bit," said Ryanne. I'll get my legs in a day or so. Fortune, will you answer one question?"

"As many as you like."

"How did you get here?"

"Don't you know?"

George wasn't certain, but the girl's voice was cold and accusing.

"I?"

"Yes. Wasn't it the note that you wrote to me?"

Ryanne took his head in his hands, wearily. "I wrote you no note, Fortune; I have never written you a note of any kind. You do not know my handwriting from Adam's. In God's name, why didn't you ask your mother or your uncle. They would have recognised the forgery at once. Who gave it to you?"

"Mahomed himself."

"Damn him." Ryanne grew strong under the passing fit of rage. "No, don't tell me to be silent. I don't care about myself. I'm the kind of man who pulls through, generally. But this takes the spine out of me. I'm to blame; it's all my fault."

"Say no more about it." She believed him. She really hadn't thought him capable of such baseness, though at the time of her abduction she had been inclined to accuse him. That he was here, a prisoner like herself, was conclusive evidence, so far as she was concerned, of his innocence. But she knew him to be responsible for the presence of Jones; knew him to be culpable of treachery of the meanest order; knew him to be lacking in generosity and magnanimity toward a man who was practically his benefactor. "What does Mahomed want?"

"The bally rug, Fortune. And Jones here, who had it, says that it is gone."

"Vanished, magic-carpet-wise," supplemented George.

"And Jones would have given it up."

"And a thousand like it, if we could have bought you out of this."

"Jones and I could have managed to get along."

"We shouldn't have mattered."

"And would you have returned to Mr. Jones his thousand pounds?"

"Yes, and everything else I have," quite honestly.

"Don't worry any more about the rug, then. I know where it is."

"You!" cried the two men.

"Yes. I stole it. I did so, thinking to avert this very hour; to save you from harm," to George, "and you from doing a contemptible thing," to Ryanne. "It is in my room, done up in the big steamer-roll. And now I am glad that I stole it."

Ryanne laughed weakly.

Said George soberly: "What contemptible thing?" He recollected Mahomed's words in regard to Ryanne as the latter lay insensible in the sand.

Ryanne, quick to seize the opportunity of solving, to his own advantage, the puzzle for George, and at the same time guiding Fortune away from a topic, the danger of which she knew nothing, raised a hand. "I bribed Mahomed to kidnap you, Jones. Don't be impatient. You laughed at me when I laid before you the prospectus of the United Romance and Adventure Company. I wished to prove to you that the concern existed. And so here is your adventure upon approval. I thought, of course, you still had the rug. Mahomed was to carry you into the desert for a week, and by that time you would have surrendered the rug, returned to Cairo, the hero of a full-fledged adventure. Lord, what a mess of it I've made. I forgot, next to his bally rug, Mahomed loved me."

The hitherto credulous George had of late begun to look into facts instead of dreams. He did not believe a word of this amazing confession, despite the additional testimony of Fortune, relative to Ryanne's statements made to her in the bazaars.

"The biter bitten," was George's sole comment.

Ryanne breathed easier.

"Why not tell Mahomed at once, and have him send a courier back for the rug?" suggested Fortune.

"By Jove, that clears up everything. We'll do it immediately." George felt better than he had at any stage of the adventure. Here was a simple way out of the difficulty.

"Softly," said Ryanne. "Let us come down to the lean facts. If that rug is in your room, Fortune, your mother has discovered it long before now. She will turn it over to your estimable uncle. None of us will ever see it again, I'm thinking. The Major knows that Jones gave me a thousand pounds for it." Struck by a sense of impending disaster, Ryanne began to fumble in his pockets. Gone! Every shilling of it gone! "He's got that, too; Mahomed; the cash you gave me, Jones. Wait a moment; don't speak; things are whirling about some. Over nine hundred pounds; every shilling of it. We mustn't let him know that I've missed it. I've got to play weak in order to grow strong. . . But they will at least start up a row as to your whereabouts, Fortune."

"No," thoughtfully; "no, I do not think they will."

The undercurrent was too deep for George. He couldn't see very clearly just then. The United Romance and Adventure Company; was that all? Was there not something sinister behind that name concerning him? He looked patiently from the girl to the adventurer.

Ryanne stared at the yellow desert beyond. His brain was clearing rapidly under the stimulus of thought. He himself did not believe that they would send out search parties either for him or for Fortune. He could not fathom what had given Fortune her belief; but he realised that his own was based upon the recollection of that savage mood when he had thrown down the gauntlet. Now they would accept it. He had run away with Fortune, as he had boldly threatened to do. The mother and her precious brother would proceed at once to New York without him. He had made a fine muddle of it all. But for a glass of wine and a grain too much of confidence, he had not been here this day.

Mahomed, himself astir by this time, came over to the group, leisurely. The three looked like conspirators to his suspicious eye, but unlike conspirators, they made no effort to separate because he approached. He understood; as yet they were not afraid of him. That was one of the reasons he hated white men: they could seldom be forced to show fear, even when they possessed it. Well, these three should know what fear was before they saw the last of him. He carried a kurbash, a cowhide whip, which he twirled idly, even suggestively. First he came to George.

"If you have the Yhiordes there is still a chance for you. Cairo is but fifty miles away. Bagdad is several hundred." He drew the whip caressingly through his fingers.

"I do not lie," replied George, a truculent sparkle in his eyes. "I told you that I had it not. It was the truth."

A ripple of anxiety passed over Mahomed's face. "And you?" turning upon Ryanne, with suppressed savageness. How he longed to lay the lash upon the dog.

"Don't look at me," answered Ryanne waspishly. "If I had it I should not be here." Ah, for a bit of his old strength. He would have strangled Mahomed then and there. But the drug and the beating had weakened him terribly.

"If I give you the rug," interposed Fortune, "will you promise freedom to us all?"

Mahomed stepped back, nonplussed. He hadn't expected any information from this quarter.

"I have the rug," declared Fortune calmly, though she could scarcely hear her own voice, her heart beat so furiously.

"You have it?" Mahomed was confused. Here was a turn in the road upon which he had set no calculation. All three of them!

"Yes. And upon condition that you liberate us all I will put it into your hands. But it must be my writing this time."

(To be continued.)

MANLY MOTOR FATALITY

RESULT OF THE INQUEST.

DRIVER COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

At the City Coroner's Court yesterday Mr. Stephen Murphy concluded the inquest into the death of Norman Stanley Hall, who was riding a bicycle along Pittwater-road, Manly, on the 2nd inst., when he collided with motor car No. 3565, then being driven towards Manly by James Wilkinson, and was fatally injured.

Mr Lambton appeared for James Wilkinson, Mr. Linton in the interests of Mr. Bann, a passenger in the car that hit the cyclist. Mr. Arkins watched the case in the interests of relatives of the deceased, and Mr. Barnier acted on behalf of Mr. Middleton, whose car was also present at the time of the occurrence.

John Jones, a constable stationed at Manly, gave evidence to the effect that on the night of the accident he saw Wilkinson when he came into the station. In his opinion Wilkinson was under the influence of liquor.

To Mr. Lambton: His eyes were bleary, and his actions were such as to give me that impression. I have had six years' experience as a constable, and see men under the influence of liquor every day.

George Henry Hall, brother of the deceased, recalled, stated that on the day after the accident he went with a brother and a cousin, at daybreak, to the spot where the collision had taken place. There his brother found the bell from the bicycle of deceased embedded in the roadway between the tram line and the left side of the road, looking towards Narrabeen.

The Senior-sergeant of Manly stated that he had measured the width of the road at the scene of the accident. It was 33ft. He had also made approximate measurements of the length of the road from between the two turns and from the waiting shed to the scene of the accident. At 8 o'clock on the night of the occurrence he had a conversation with Wilkinson, who said: "I am not to blame at all for this. I was on the proper side of the road, coming towards Manly. Another car was in the act of passing me when a cyclist came round the corner from the opposite direction, and in trying to miss the other car ran straight across the road, and collided with my car." Wilkinson appeared to be under the influence of liquor, and witness smelt liquor on him.

Mr. Baron, licensee of the Narrabeen Hotel, stated that he had seen Wilkinson at his hotel at 5.25. He could positively assert that Wilkinson had only two glasses of lager at the hotel. When Wilkinson left he was quite sober, and handled his car with skill. He had not known Wilkinson before.

James Wilkinson, licensed motor driver, residing at Eunismore, North Steyne, Manly, produced several sketches and photographs of the scene of the accident. Having been warned by the Coroner, he stated that he wished to alter the statement he had made to the police on the night of the accident. He was labouring under intense excitement at the time, and had not stated the facts correctly. He wished to state that he was passing the other car, and just turning to the left to get in front of it when the accident occurred. The cyclist was coming along on the crown of the road, and owing to the other car being in front, he could not see the cyclist till it was too late. It all happened in a dozen yards. He was travelling at about 20 miles per hour, and the other car was going at about 17 to 18 miles. The cyclist was free-wheeling down the hill. With reference to the statement of witnesses that he had passed and repassed the other car on the road in from Narrabeen, he stated that he had only passed it twice, and then only to show Mr. Bann, his passenger, the flexibility of the car. He knew nothing about nearly having a collision with a tram. He had had only two drinks that day. He had dined on a grill and a pot of tea. After lunch he had gone to the Australia Club for a short time, and thence proceeded straight to Manly, where he met Mr. Bann. He had only the two glasses of lager mentioned. The bleary look in his eyes was due to driving without goggles. He had had 15 years' experience as a motor driver, and had in all that time never had an accident. It would be impossible to make a car zig-zag across the road as had been stated. He did not come right over in to the tram line when rounding the corner before the scene of the accident. He had opened his cut-out to give Mr. Middleton warning that he was overtaking him. He always used that form of warning, as it was more effective than the hooter. It had been stated that the effect of opening the cut-out would be to increase the speed. This was not the fact. It would at most increase the speed a couple of miles per hour. The front of his car was about six feet from the front of Middleton's car when the accident occurred. He was about a foot and a half from the other car when he passed it, and his right wheel was a few inches from the tram line. He was absolutely positive that he had had no other drinks than those mentioned.

To Mr. Barnier: Mr. Middleton's car was as near to proper driving side as practicable.

To Mr. Arkins: I have had experience of car 3565, and of every make of car. I am not employed by any company, nor do I own a car.

This concluded the evidence, and the coroner then found that "Norman Stanley Hall was killed by colliding with car No. 3565, then being recklessly driven by James Wilkinson, and further that James Wilkinson did feloniously slay the said Norman Stanley Hall."

Wilkinson was committed for trial on November 20, bail being allowed, self £80, and a surety of £80, or two at £40.

COST OF LIVING.

ROYAL COMMISSION'S INVESTIGATIONS.

PORT MACQUARIE, Wednesday.

Messrs. Bavin (chairman), Spence, Kelly, and Morris, members of the commission inquiring into the cost of the production of food, etc., arrived here yesterday from the north, and to-day examined a number of witnesses, principally fishermen engaged in the oyster industry, as to the mode of packing and shipping, Sydney agents' fees, and the returns received from consignments. The commission left this afternoon for the southern rivers.

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BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY BY THE SCHOOLS.

A GREAT GATHERING.

It is good to see, if only once a year, an aggregation of children such as that which thronged the Sydney Cricket Ground yesterday on the occasion of the twenty-third annual sports and display under the auspices of the Public Schools Amateur Athletic Association. For it shows that, if the birth-rate in this State is not as high as it ought to be, children are still being born into the world in large numbers. There must have been 15,000 children assembled there—the fathers and mothers of the children that are yet to be. But childhood takes no account of the birth-rate; it is enough for our little ones that they are here. It is theirs to live and enjoy themselves, and take the good gifts the gods send without the disturbing influences of problems, social, industrial, and political.

In the many thousands of children who took part in yesterday's great demonstration—a demonstration that was in no wise inferior to those that had gone before it—few were capable of appreciating the fact that this great annual gathering of theirs had actually assumed a political phase, and that questions were nearly being asked in the House of Parliament about it. The judges originally appointed for the dancing events failed to meet with the approval of certain schools, and in their extremity the children, or teachers, of these schools approached the Minister for Education on the matter. Fortunately, the questions that were threatened in the House of Parliament were rendered unnecessary by the willingness of the council of the association to appoint new judges from outside," whose impartiality and independence could not be called into question.

So it was that, this one bone of contention being removed, the children had absolutely nothing to cloud their day's enjoyment, and they took their pleasures with a vim and joy that knew no bounds.

All roads led to the Sydney Cricket Ground yesterday. Trains, trams, and boats were crowded with youngsters and their teachers from a multitude of schools. The first of them arrived at the ground at about half-past 8, and from then on till lunch-time they continued to roll up. The whole of the morning was devoted to the athletic competitions, in which 5000 children engaged. The afternoon was devoted to the displays that have made this gathering of our school children famous, and in these displays no fewer than 7000 picked children took part. They came from all over the city and suburbs. Imagine a line drawn from Hurstville to Parramatta, from Parramatta to Hornsby, and from Hornsby to Manly—from 36 schools within that radius came happy children to their fete. Besides the 10,000 or more who were engaged in the competitions and displays, there were many more children who came as spectators merely, accompanied by teachers or parents.

The organisation was wonderful. The way in which this great army of children was handled was something of a phenomenon. Each boy seemed to fit it his place, each girl in hers, like machinery. Everything went with clock-like precision. Each school had its rendezvous. There were poles around the grounds bearing the names of the different schools, and thus the children were kept together. The racing, dancing, and other events were got off well to time, and the whole management reflected the greatest credit on the committee and the special officers responsible.

It was found necessary to utilise not only the main cricket ground and the No. 2 cricket ground, but also the Sports Ground, so many events were there to be got off—71 in all—and so many children were there to be handled.

Nothing finer has been done by the children than the living crown, which they presented at 2.15. The Union Jack and other flags have been presented in other years, every one a thing of beauty, but this crown of England was, perhaps, more beautiful than them all. It was a gorgeous tableau, and will remain long in the memory of all who saw it. The marshalling of the seven thousand children, on the No. 2 ground before they marched out on to the main cricket ground was no light task, but, amid the playing of bands and the plaudits of the great crowd assembled on the ground, they marched out in perfect order, each squad dressed in its distinguishing colour, each child carrying two miniature flags—the Union Jack and the flag of the Southern Cross.

One can imagine no prettier sight than this superb picture of the jewels of Empire—the gold of it, and the sapphires, emeralds, and diamonds—this living representation of the British crown. It was something to see the children, first the girls, and then the boys, on the march out, executing their evolutions as they traversed the lines of the giant crown, and took up their respective places, but it was more to see the completed picture. It was splendid in conception, and splendid in execution, a glorious spectacle of light and colour. The sky was a perfect blue; there was not a cloud in it, and the sun shone down upon the picture, lighting it up in dazzling beauty.

The spectacle was witnessed by the State Premier (Mr. M'Gowen), Mr. Beeby (Minister for Lands), and Mr. Trefle (Minister for Agriculture). Mr. Carmichael (Minister for Education) was unable to be present. Parliament had decided not to meet until 7 o'clock, instead of 4.30, in order to allow members to be present, and a large number of members attended the demonstration. Coming back fresh from the Coronation of King George V in London, Mr. M'Gowen was particularly impressed by this living witness of the symbol of monarchy and of the unity of the British Empire.

Mr. Beeby, who has just relinquished the portfolio of Minister for Education, commenting on the demonstration, said: "Each year there is an improvement in the work done by the Public Schools' Athletic Association. I think the display to-day is one of the finest yet given. The general design of the crown was splendidly conceived, and the control and discipline of the children were even better than on previous occasions. As this is the last occasion on which I am identified with the teaching staff, I wish to add my tribute to the splendid work done."

The grandstands and lawns were crowded with spectators. Probably 20,000 witnessed the display.

In the centre was the great crown; on the one side of it the letter G, on the other the letter R; the whole being surrounded by a diamond chain—a chain of boys in white.

At a signal the seven thousand boys and girls sprang to attention, the right hand of each child shot into the air with its waving flag, the band played "God Save the King," the people in the grandstands rose en masse. Such a sight is rarely seen. Twice it was repeated. Then the children gave three cheers for their King. It was an inspiriting spectacle.

Then another order went forth, and in a moment all arms were raised, and 14,000 flags were waving in the air above the children's heads—over the living crown. The Union Jack waved side by side with the Australian ensign, and it was like a beautiful garden of flowers. There were the white and blue and green and yellow dresses, and the forest of flags waving in the breeze. At the base of the crown, immediately in front of the grandstands, were a score or more of other and bigger flags, attached to poles. No more picturesque sight has been seen on the ground, and the spectators applauded loudly.

The final view of the crown showed the children seated on the grass, still waving their flags overhead. Then came the unfurling of exchange flags and the saluting of the Union Jack, followed by the singing of the National Anthem.

After this the bands played the girls off the ground—they played "Rule Britannia," "The Sea is England's Glory," and other patriotic airs—and the boys remained to give a display of physical training. It was the training that all the boys of the Commonwealth between the ages of 12 and 14—our junior cadets—have now to go through.

"They are the heroes," said a man in the grandstand. "We are training them to keep our enemies away, because we are too lazy to do it ourselves."

Then came the famous maypole dance, exquisitely performed, and the exhibition of drill and physical training by the challenge shield teams, swing drill by girls, Coronation flag drill by combined squads and finally the march off.

Children and teachers alike are to be congratulated on the whole display.

EVENTS IN DETAIL.

BOYS' COMPETITIONS.

Separate School Races (Juniors), 75yds.—Ashfield: V. Ayling and A. Dawson, dead heat. Albion-street: D. Benning, 1; A. Fawley, 2. Annandale: L. Anderson, 1; A. Bentivoglio, 2. Bondi: H. Clark, 1; R. Bishop, 2. Balmain: H. May, 1; S. Nelson, 2. Botany: J. Bainbury, 1; C. Bosley, 2. Cleveland-street: T. Peters, 1; E. Bishop, 2. Crown-street: R. Diamond, 1; L. Banks, 2. Blackfriars: W. Kelly, 1; G. Booth, 2. Crystal-street, Petersham: H. Armstrong, 1; E. Watkins, 2. Darlington: A. Sommers, 1; L. Spice, 2. Dulwich Hill: E. Aylward, 1; E. Anderson, 2. Double Bay: B. Goldman, 1; R. Miller, 2. Enmore: S. Vippond, 1; H. Arnold, 2. Forest Lodge: D. Elliott, 1; J. Anderson, 2. Fort-street: A. Edwards, 1; G. Lyons, 2. Five Dock: R. Churchill, 1; A. Hales, 2. Glebe: F. Gace, 1; W. Wells, 2. Gardener's-road: A. Munger, 1; H. Hicks, 2. Gladesville: B. Dark, 1; R. Randall, 2. Kensington: S. Hart, 1; R. Cotterill, 2. Leichhardt: C. White, 1; W. Knight, 2. Leichhardt West: C. Davies, 1; R. Jackson, 2. Milson's Point: H. Reece, 1; D. Eve, 2. North Sydney: C. Dunning, 1; K. Hall, 2. North Newtown: A. Macdonald, 1; T. Allison, 2. Nicholson-street: R. Blair, 1; W. Towner, 2. Neutral Bay: V. Wilson, 1; A. Clark, 2. Petersham: F. Sarslett, 1; G. Potter, 2. Pyrmont: J. Brown, 1; S. Matthews, 2. Paddington: R. Simpson, 1; H. Harris, 2. Randwick: J. Halliday, 1; R. Bruce, 2. Randwick (Infants): V. Kelly, 1; J. Hart, 2. Ryde: H. Fullagar, 1; A. Tepp, 2. Rockdale: R. Blain, 1; S. Bechaz, 2. Smith-street: V. Stafford, 1; W. Colvin, 2. Surry Hills South: A. Braiding, 1; B. Black, 2. Waverley: S. Mullane, 1; S. Martin, 2. William-street: N. Bates, 1; J. Magnus, 2. Waterloo: R. Hood, 1; V. Lawrence, 2. Woollahra: J. Newman, 1; H. Bright, 2.

Seniors, 100yds.—Annandale: S. Anson, 1; L. Jones, 2. Albion-street: J. M'Nally, 1; A. Johnston, 2. Burwood: D. Murray, 1; R. Walker, 2. Bondi: W. Foley, 1; R. Dobbie, 2. Balmain: D. Nielsen, 1; S. Peterson, 2. Camdenville: A. Cohen, 1; C. Trollope and A. Robertson, dead heat, 2. Cleveland-street: H. Elliott, 1; H. Frank, 2. Darlinghurst: S. Still, 1; E. Corby, 2. Erskineville: J. Pivott, 1; E. Schofield, 2. Five Dock: W. Murren, 1; P. Davis and H. Scott, dead heat, 2. Forest Lodge: C. Wilson, 1; F. Goddard, 2. Gardener's-road: R. Furlong, 1; A. Melvin, 2. Glenmore-road: F. Matthews, 1; L. Merrin, 2. Glebe: H. Henderson, 1; T. Lambert, 2. Leichhardt: B. Bragg, 1; C. Lambert, 2. Leichhardt West: R. Williams, 1; J. Backhouse, 2. Mosman: E. M'Cabe, 1; C. Ferris, 2. Milson's Point: S. Taylor, 1; L. Emilhains, 2. North Sydney: E. Burrows, 1; K. Leng, 2. Nicholson-street: O. Freeman, 1; S. Brown, 2. Naremburn: O. Frendenstein, 1; S. Smallhorn, 2. Neutral Bay: L. Claremont, 1; H. Kellond, 2. North Ryde: J. Larkins, 1; R. Heard, 2. Paddington: G. Wright, 1; L. Steel, 2. Randwick: D. Simpkins, 1; M. Pardey, 2. Pyrmont: W. Crowther, 1; R. Bryant, 2. Surry Hills South: E. Hunter, 1; G. Vaughan, 2. Technical High School: C. Mumford, 1; S. Davis, 2. Waverley: W. Vitnell, 1; C. King, 2. William-street: E. Smith, 1; D. Morris, 2. Woollahra: N. Howes, 1; R. Norman, 2. Waterloo: L. Whately, 1; R. Walker, 2.

AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

8yrs and under, 75yds.—H. Horder (Cleveland-street), 1; J. Murray (Canterbury), 2.

9yrs, 75yds.—M. Rogers (Darlinghurst), 1; A. Braiding (Bourke-street), 2.

10yrs, 75yds.—F. Scott (Cleveland-street), 1; L. Charters (Kogarah), 2.

11yrs, 75yds.—W. Foley (Bondi), 1; G. Roberts (Darlinghurst), 2.

12yrs, 100yds.—W. Read (Hunter's Hill), 1; E. Corby (Darlinghurst), 2.

13yrs, 100yds.—W. Morrell (Five Dock), 1; H. Henderson (Glebe), 2.

14yrs, 100yds.—N. Lipscombe (Hurlstone High School), 1; C. M'Kenzie (Technical High School), 2.

15yrs and over, 100yds.—H. Elliott (Cleveland-st), 1; L. Merrin (Glenmore-road), 2.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Cricket.—Fielding (14yrs and over): A. Kippax (Cleveland-street), 1; C. Harry (Hurlstone), 2.

Cricket.—Fielding (13yrs and under): W. Wilson (Forest Lodge), 1; W. Bell (Forest Lodge), 2.

Cricket.—Bowling (14yrs and over): G. Lacey (Cleveland-street), 1; W. Ives (Cleveland-street), 2.

Cricket.—Bowling (13yrs and under): R. Stehr (Forest Lodge), 1; L. Adams (Warrawee), 2.

Cricket.—Throwing ball (14yrs and over): J. Ives (Cleveland-street), 91yds, 1; E. Parr (Hurlstone), 86yds, 2.

Cricket.—Throwing ball (13yrs and under): A. Thatcher (Cleveland-street), 1; L. Adams (Warrawee), 2.

Cricket.—Wicket-keeping: A. Fraser (North Newtown), 1; J. Aird (Lindfield), 2.

Cricket.—Field catching (14yrs and over): E. Parr (Hurlstone), 1; A. Kippax (Cleveland-street), 2.

Cricket.—Field catching (13yrs and under): A. Miller (Cleveland-street), 1; W. Richmond (Smith-street, Balmain), 2.

Chinning the Bar.—B. Thorpe (Hurlstone), 20 times, 1; E. Parr (Hurlstone), 2.

Football.—Rugby—Place kick (15yrs and over): H. Elliott (Cleveland-street), 1; L. M'Cormack (Cleveland-street), 2. 14yrs and under: A. Jones (Glenmore-road), 1; J. Banks (Crown-street), 2. Drop kick, 15yrs and over: H. Elliott (Cleveland-street), 1; R. Buckingham (Hurlstone), 2. 14yrs and under: A. Jones (Glenmore-road), 1; J. Johnson (Gardener's-road), 2.

Australian.—Place kick: P. Connelly (Fort-street), 1; R. Leafe (North Sydney), 2; Drop kick: R. O. Satchell (Burwood), 1; R. Leafe (North Sydney), 2. Bouncing ball: T. Crowe (William-street), 1; L. Roberts (Hurstville), 2.

Soccer.—Corner kick: A. Addison (Nicholson-street), 1; L. Cranney (Pyrmont), 2.

Three-legged race handicap, 100yds: B. Goldman and R. Tarrant (Double Bay), 1; B. Thorpe and A. Allanson (Hurlstone), 2.

Running Broad Jump.—J. Thorpe (Hurlstone), 15ft 4in, 1; N. Lipscombe (Hurlstone), 2.

High Jump (Junior).—F. Stone (Cleveland-street), 4ft 9in, 1; N. Lipscombe (Hurlstone), 2.

Hurdle Race, 100yds (Junior).—W. Foley (Bondi), 1.

Hurdle Race, 100yds (Senior).—N. Lipscombe (Hurlstone), 1; F. M'Leod (Cleveland-street), 2.

Sack Races, 100yds (14yrs and over).—A. Davis (Technical High School), 1; D. Murray (Burwood), 2.

12 and 13 Years.—S. Stoddert (Fort-street), 1; E. Corby (D'hurst), 2.

11 Years and Under.—T. Holloway (Paddington), 1; G. Thompson (Arncliffe), 2.

Obstacle Race (11yrs and under).—C. Davis (W. Leichhardt), 1; L. Lea (Paddin[illegible]), 2.

12yrs.—G. Campling (Kogarah), 1; D. Keldie (Albion-street), 2.

13yrs.—R. Walker (Burwood), 1; H. Marks (William-street), 2.

14 yrs and over.—C. Davis (Fort-street), 1; R. Norman (Woollahra), 2.

Baseball.—Base running: R. Buckingham (Hurlstone), 1; C. Austin (Burwood), 2. Fielding: Sieley and Jowers (Parramatta), 1; Austin and Lennartz (Burwood), 2.

Challenge Shield for Drill.—Kogarah, 81 points, 1; Stanmore, 71 points, 2; Drummoyne A, 57 points, 3.

Tugs-o'-War, Senior.—Hurlstone, 1; Newtown, 2. Junior: Cleveland-street, 1; Five Dock, 2. Battery contest: A. Kippax (Cleveland-street), 1; Sieley (Parramatta), 2.

Bicycle Handicaps.—Senior: G. Halpin (Cleveland-street), 1; R. Tierney (Technical High School), 2. Junior: N. Howes (Woollahra), 1; H. Betts (Mortdale), 2; T. Hansen (Double Bay), 3.

Champion Relay Race.—Seniors: Hurlstone, 1; Petersham, 2; Burwood, 3. Juniors: Double Bay, 1; Darlinghurst, 2.

Walk Handicap, 440yds.—N. Lipscombe (Hurlstone), 1; W. Knispel (Technical High School), 2; V. Lea (Hurlstone), 3.

100yds Public Schools' Championship.—H. Elliott (Cleveland-street), 1; B. Bragg (Leichhardt), 2; R. Buckingham (Hurlstone), 3. Time, 11 1-5s.

GIRLS' EVENTS.

Skipping, Plain (separate schools).—Albion-street: L. King, 1; G. Gray, 2. Auburn: D. Giblett, 1; D. Hirsch, 2. Blackfriars: A. Coleman, 1; F. Stewart, 2. Beecroft: D. Forsyth. Coogee: N. Johnson. Crown-street: D. Monaghan. Cleveland-street: D. Rhodes, 1; J. Duncan, 2. Double Bay: V. Randall. Darlinghurst: D. Peterson, 1; R. Goodyer, 2. Gardener's-road: R. Hall. Nicholson-street: E. M'Warde, 1; E. Clarke, 2. Paddington: R. Martin, 1; V. Carr, 2. Plunkett-street: F. Rose, 1; A. Harsen, 2. Randwick: M. Jakins, 1; A. Slocum, 2. Redfern: R. Gordon, 1; F. M'Quaker, 2. Smith-street (Balmain): D. Williams. Surry Hills South: A. Hunt, 1; M. Smith, 2. Woollahra: T. Thomas, 1; M. Dixon, 2. Waverley (girls): E. Davis, 1; F. Ralph, 2. Waverley (infants): L. Bennett, 1; A. Bastian, 2.

Skipping, teams with long rope, six girls in team.—Cleveland-street (A), 141 skips, 1; Cleveland-street (D), 123 skips, 2; Cleveland-street (C), 118 skips, 3.

Fancy Skipping, in costume.—D. Rhodes (Cleveland-street), 1; M. O'Meagher (Glenmore-road), 2.

DANCING.

Highland Fling (13yrs and over).—R. Martin (Paddington), 1; C. Weston (Leichhardt), 2; M. O'Meagher (Glenmore-road), 3. 11yrs and 12yrs: M. M'Gregor (Leichhardt West), 1; N. M'Kay (Gardener's-road), 2; N. Manny (Dulwich Hill), 3. 10yrs and under: V. Cannon (Woollahra), 1; A. Quinlan (Drummoyne), 2; G. Gendle (Summer Hill), 3.

Irish Jig.—13yrs and over: R. Martin (Paddington), 1; A. Stevens (Homebush), 2; F. Waldergrave (Smith-street, Balmain), 3. 11yrs and 12yrs: N. M'Kay (Gardener's-road), 1; A. Appleton (Nicholson-street), 2; R. Dunn (Burwood), 3. 10yrs and under: T. Duff (Nicholson-street), 1; D. Gendle (Summer Hill), 2; L. Phegan (Rookwood), 3.

Sailor's Hornpipe.—13yrs and over: R. Martin (Paddington), 1; R. Anstiss (Birchgrove), 2; A. Fellew (Pyrmont), 3. 11yrs and 12yrs: R. Dunn (Burwood), 1; N. M'Kay (Gardener's-road), 2; A. Appleton (Nicholson-street), 3. 10yrs and under: R. O'Meagher (Glenmore-road), 1; T. Duff (Nicholson-street), 2; K. Brennan (Cleveland-street), 3.

Clog Dance.—V. Sinclair (Burwood), 1; R. Austin (Birchgrove), 2; D. Williams (Smith-street, Balmain), 3.

Skipping-rope Races (nine years and under).—50yds: E. Ward (Tempe), 1; V. Northcote (Darlington), 2.

Ten years.—50yds: A. Caller (Mosman), 1; T. West (Randwick), 2.

Eleven years.—50yds: D. Tydeman (Double Bay), 1; B. Fraser (Double Bay), 2.

Twelve years.—50yds: O. Lewis (Petersham), 1; M. Winkworth (Annandale), 2.

Thirteen years and over.—50yds: G. Mantova (Auburn), 1; I. Williams (Burwood), 2.

Skipping in Doubles.—L. Harvey and O. Ring (Cleveland-street), 1; E. Anderson and J. Duncan (Cleveland-street), 2.

Hoop Races (10 years and under), 50yds: A. Caller (Mosman), 1; I. Lewis (Croydon), 2.

Eleven years and over: G. Mantova (Auburn), 1; M. Winn (Mosman), 2.

Tennis, serving at nets: E. Chard (Rose Bay), 1; B. Farrell (Randwick), 2; D. Wilkinson (Forest Lodge), 3.

Throwing ball: Y. Nixon (North Sydney), 40yds, 1; D. Edwards (Beecroft), 2; S. Towers (Mortdale), 3.

AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Eight years and under (50yds): T. Barrack (Paddington), 1; T. Brighton (Gardener's-road), 2.

Nine years (50yds): M. Barry (Crown-street), 1; R. Ranteport (Blackfriars), 2.

Ten years (50yds): R. Burns (Cleveland-street), 1; W. Drury (Ryde), 2.

Eleven years (50yds): V. Griffiths (Naremburn), 1; M. Fysh (Five Dock), 2.

Twelve years (50yds): P. Rogers (Burwood), 1; M. Drury (Ryde), 2.

Thirteen years (50yds): T. Fullager (Ryde), 1; B. Dineen (Plunkett-street), 2.

Fourteen years (50yds): M. Pugh (Burwood), 1; C. Graham (Mortdale), 2.

BEAUTIFUL CHURCH BUILDINGS.

OPINION OF A BISHOP.

A bazaar was held at the School of Arts, Burwood, yesterday for the purpose of raising funds to wipe out a debt of £1000 which still remains on St. Paul's rectory, Burwood.

Bishop Stone-Wigg, performing the opening ceremony, said that many people regarded generosity from the standpoint of the buyer, but if they gave a little thought to the matter they would soon discover that the real generosity lay with the stallholders. They did the work, sacrificed their time, and were in every sense truly generous. The buyer received value for money expended. The bazaar was held in the interests of two very worthy objects, but there were also others which he would like to see undertaken. He thought the east wall of the church should be pulled down and re-erected right to the extreme edge of the property, in order to allow room for a chancel. It was essential that they should have their churches as beautiful as they could possibly make them. Take Westminster Abbey as an example. Everything that the poor of London had, everything that they had there, and everything that visitors saw in that great national sanctuary, the people of Australia were entitled to have here. As a member of the congregation, who had voting power, he would vote for every ornament in a church—for everything which the church allowed, for everything the prayerbook allowed, and for everything that a great national sanctuary allowed. It could not be expected that every sacred building in Australia could have this, but personally he would do all in his power to promote it in at least one of the churches.

THE ENGLISH TEAM.

DISAPPOINTMENT IN THE WEST.

BATHURST, Wednesday.

Indignation is expressed in cricket circles here at Bathurst not being included in the itinerary of the English cricket team. Mr. W. H. Young, secretary of the Bathurst District Cricket Association, states that on August 8 he wrote to Mr. P. K. Bowden, secretary of the New South Wales Cricket Association, asking for a rough estimate of the cost of bringing the Englishmen to this city. He received a reply by return post, intimating that his (Mr Young's) letter had been referred to the secretary of the Australian Board of Control for immediate attention. This latter gentleman, Mr. Young says, apparently ignored this communication, and also two other letters forwarded by him later on as reminders.

LAW NOTICES.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

SUPREME COURT.

Cause Lists.—Banco Court, St. James'-road.—At 10 a.m.: Shannon and another v Alexander Cowan and Sons, Ltd. (part heard). At 2 p.m.: Green v Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways. Notice to Jurors.—The jurors engaged in the part heard case are required to attend at 10 a.m. The jurors summoned to attend Banco Causes to-day need not attend until 2 p.m.

No. 1 Causes.—In No. 2 Court, King-street: Martin v Turner and another (part heard), Molloy and others v Plumb.

No. 2 Causes.—In No. 3 Court, King-street: Wightman and others v Thorsby.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Langworthy v Farrell, 11 a.m.; Dewson v Dewson, 2.15 p.m.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before Mr. Justice Rich.—In the Central Criminal Court, at Darlinghurst.—At 10.30: Kenny v Wilson (part heard). The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office:—10 a.m., Charles J. Menzies; 10.30, William J. Hayes; 10.45, Mary Charlotte De Vere Emblin; 11, Eliza McLoughlin; 11.15, William Caslick; 11.30, Alice De W. Mourontzoff; 11.45, Richard T. Hall.

In Equity.—Before the Chief Judge in Equity.—At 10 a.m.: Castle Hill Orangeries, Ltd., v Taylor (part heard). Before his Honor Mr. Justice Street.—No. 1 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: McLaughlin v City Bank (part heard). Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.45; City Mutual Life Assn. v Blunt, to tax costs; 11, Knight v Miles (to tax costs), same v same (ditto); 12 noon, Hill v Hill, adjourned taxation.

In Divorce.—Before the Judge in Divorce.—In No. 4 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Cause List: Armati v Armati (Heer co-respondent), Watson v Watson.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At 10 a.m.: Confirmation of accounts and plans. Motion to discharge sequestration order: Edward Dainer. Motions for release: Thomas James Wray, Samuel Vial Edwards, Assed Rouhanaf. Certificate application: Walter Gerald Piper. Examinations under section 30: B. B. Nicoll and Co., William John Stabback. Audit of accounts and plans.—Before the Chief Clerk.—At 10.15 a.m.: Re Alfred King, taxation of debtors' costs; re Georg Christian Stoltz, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs. At 10.30 a.m.: Re Charles Edward White, taxation of respondent's costs.

In Lunacy.—Before the Chief Clerk.—At 3 p.m.: Re an incapable person, to pass accounts.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Backhouse.—In No. 1 Court.—At 10 a.m.: De Lauret v Hill, Ah Garb v Michel, White v McKenna, Bewley, Limited, v Griffith. Note.—The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

Before his Honor Judge Murray.—In No. 2 Court.—At 10 a.m.: Arkman v Reynolds and another (part heard), Cranston v Meyhew (part heard), Reidy v Smith.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

At the Industrial Court-house, Queen's-square.—Before his Honor Judge Heydon.—At 10 a.m.—Summonses for penalty: To be considered whether to be dealt with by the Court, or remitted to another tribunal: Thyer v Hyams, Johnstone v Lawler and another. For money due: Campbell v Lawler and another, Weston v Arkinstall. To be adjourned: Chinchen v Partridge, Mortimer v Mrs. Italiano (2). For hearing: Re Engine Driving and Firing (Sundry Industries) Board, for nomination of employers' representative; re Newcastle Collieries (Newcastle and Maitland) Miners' Board, for nomination of representatives; Cunnington v Gummerson, Miller v Gummerson.

Before the Industrial Registrar.—At 10 a.m.—At Industrial Registrar's Office.—For hearing: Re Clothing (Tailoring) Award, application by R. C. Hagon.

COMMONWEALTH ARBITRATION COURT.

At the Courthouse, Darlinghurst.—Before the President, Mr. Justice Higgins.—At 10.30 a.m.—For hearing: In the matter of an industrial dispute between the Australian Workers' Union, claimant, and the Pastoralists' Federal Council of Australia and others, respondent (part heard).

CUSTOMS INQUIRIES.

Before the Collector of Customs (Mr. S. Mills).—At 10 a.m.: J. R. McKenzie and Co., alleged contravention of section 234 (d) of Customs Act, 1901-10.

COMMON AMONG MINERS.

"Like many other miners I contracted a severe cold through coming out of the hot mine into the cool air," says Mr. W. Crouch, of Tabina-street, Broken Hill, N.S.W., "and at night I could get an awful tickling in the throat and chest, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was the means of giving immediate relief from it, and quickly cured my cold. No other medicine was able to do this, and I had many bottles from the doctor."—Advt.

For Bronchial Coughs take Woods' Great Peppermint Cure. 1s 6d.—Advt.

LAW REPORT.

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice and a jury of four.)

ALLEGED TRESPASS.

DISPUTE ABOUT BRICKWORKS.

Shannon v A. Cowan and Sons, Ltd.

Mr. Lamb, K.C., and Mr. Coffey, instructed by Messrs. Deane and Deane, appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. James, instructed by Mr. J. H. Robison, for the defendants. This was an action brought by Robert Shannon and Sarah Shannon against Alexander Cowan and Sons, Ltd., to recover compensation for alleged wrongful trespass upon their brickworks, situated at Roberts-road, Bankstown. The case for the plaintiff was stated in Tuesday's issue. £1000 compensation was claimed.

The defendant firm's main plea was that it did what was complained of with plaintiffs' leave.

The case is still part heard.

NO. 1 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Acting Justice Ferguson and a jury of four.)

COLLIERY ACCIDENT.

VERDICT FOR £1200.

Dunn v Brown.

Mr. Loxton, K.C., and Mr. Watt, instructed by Messrs. Reid and Reid, of Newcastle (by their Sydney agent, Mr. W. T. Flynn), appeared for the plaintiff, George Dunn, a miner; and Mr. Garland, K.C., and Mr. A. Thomson, instructed by Messrs. Sparke and Millard (by their agent, Mr. A. P. Sparke), for the defendants, John Brown and William Brown, colliery proprietors, trading as J. and W. Brown.

Plaintiff, who claimed £2000, set out in his declaration that the defendants were the owners of the Pelaw-Main colliery, where he was engaged as a miner, and as the result of an accident he was seriously injured, the accident being due to a defective system of working the mine.

The defendants pleaded not guilty, and denied that the system of drawing coal in the mine was faulty, as alleged.

His Honor, in summing up to the jury, said that the plaintiff in order to succeed must satisfy them not only that he had met with an injury in the course of his employment in the mine, but that the injury was the result of negligence either on the part of the defendants or of some person or persons for whose negligence the defendants were responsible. That was to say the plaintiff must show that there was somebody who had a duty towards him to take care, and that that care was not taken, and that in consequence he met with the injury from which he was suffering. If they came to the question of compensation, they would take into consideration the pain the plaintiff had suffered, the fact that for 12 months already he had been unable to earn anything, and for some considerable time to come he admittedly would not be able to earn anything.

The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff on the common law count, and three counts under the Employers' Liability Act for £1200 damages.

A stay of proceedings was granted the defendants by his Honor.

Wells v Great Cobar, Ltd.

In this case Mr. Garland, K.C., appeared with Mr. Weigall for the plaintiff, and Mr. Watt for the defendants. It was stated by Mr. Garland that a settlement would probably be arrived at, and the case accordingly stood over.

A BUILDING ACCIDENT.

Martin v Turner and Loveridge.

Mr. Watt and Mr. M'Donell, instructed by Messrs. M'Donell and Moffitt, appeared for the plaintiff, William Edward Martin; and Mr. Broomfield, instructed by Mr. P. V. M'Culloch, for the defendants, James Tudor Turner and Alfred Samuel Loveridge, trading as Turner and Loveridge, builders and contractors. The claim was for £2000, for injuries caused to the plaintiff while in the employ of the defendants, through the alleged negligence of the defendants.

In opening the case, Mr. Watt said that the plaintiff was what was known as a "dog-man," and was employed by the defendants at a building they were erecting for Tooth and Co. In the course of his employment he rode on a girder, weighing a ton and a half, which was being elevated to the top of the building. The sling around the girder was defective, and broke when the plaintiff was 40ft in the air, and he fell to the basement of the building in a sitting position, seriously injuring himself. Plaintiff, who was an expert at this work, had previously cautioned the foreman that the sling was defective, and it had been repaired. It had snapped with a weight of 3½ tons, the chain breaking at one of the links, and when it came back this link had been welded.

The defendants denied that there had been negligence on the part of themselves or any of their servants entrusted by them with superintendence.

The case stands part heard.

NO. 2 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of 4.)

CLAIM BY A SEAMAN.

Matison v Langley.

Mr. Bignold, instructed by Mr. H. E. M'Intosh, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Pickburn, instructed by Messrs. Perkins, Stevenson, and Company, for the defendants. This was an action brought by Paul Matison, an able seaman, against Robert Henry Langley and Alfred Langley, trading as Langley Brothers, to recover compensation for injuries sustained by plaintiff while working on board the defendants' steamer Corra Lynn. Plaintiff's case was that he was engaged by Captain Ferguson, of the Corra Lynn, agent for the defendants, as an able seaman at £7 10s per month. Plaintiff agreed to a deduction of 2s 6d per month from his wages, on condition that if any accident occurred to him in the course of his employment defendants would pay him half wages during the time he was incapacitated from work through such accident. The Corra Lynn traded on the North Coast, and on the morning of December 18, when the steamer was off Byron Bay, bound to Sydney, the steamer St. George signalled for assistance as she had broken down. The Corra Lynn steamed over to her, and a hawser was got aboard. Plaintiff and two other seamen had hold of the hawser, and were instructed to fasten it to the cabel, a piece of wood about 5 or 6 feet long, and three or four inches wide, lying horizontally on the Cora Lynn. This was done, and the Corra Lynn moved ahead, but the cabel suddenly broke, and the plaintiff being struck by a portion of the wood, had one thigh broken, and was knocked overboard. He was laid up for a long time in the hospital in consequence of his injuries, and, besides suffering much pain, had incurred expense, and had been unable to follow his usual occupation. He charged the defendants with negligence, in not seeing that the cabel was of sound material and fit for the purpose for which it was used when the accident occurred. He also said that the defendants had not paid half wages to him during his illness, as agreed upon. Damages were laid at £500.

The defendants denied the negligence, or that they made the contract set out in the second part of the plaintiff's claim.

It was stated in the course of the plaintiff's case that the cabel in question was quite sufficient for the purpose for which it was intended, namely, mooring the Corra Lynn at the wharf.

At the close of the plaintiff's case, Mr. Pickburn submitted that there was no case to go to the jury. It had been laid down that there was no negligence on the part of the employer so long as it was shown that he used due care and provided proper machinery, competent to do the work. If there was any negligence at all in the present case it was that of the captain, a fellow-servant of the plaintiff, in undertaking to tow a vessel, which was admittedly larger than the Corra Lynn, by means not intended for the purpose of towage. He also contended on the second count of the plaintiff's declaration that no contract had been made out, and there was no evidence of authority in the captain to make such a contract. After argument,

His Honor said he had no doubt as to what his duty was in the case. The plaintiff said that the defendants employed material on their vessel which was inferior and unsafe for the purpose for which it was used, and that this was negligence on their part. As far as the evidence went, the vessel was perfectly well found. In the course of her voyage down the coast the master saw the St. George flying signals of distress. It was shown further that the St. George was close to the rocks, and if not taken in tow at once would inevitably have gone on to them. According to all maritime law his duty was to succour the vessel in distress. He accordingly did so, using the best means at his disposal for towing her. The result was that the cabel to which the hawser was attached gave way, and plaintiff was injured. It had been shown that the cabel was sufficient for the purpose for which it was intended, namely, to moor the Corra Lynn to a wharf, and he saw nothing in the evidence fixing negligence upon the defendants. Then as to the second count, it had not been shown that the master of the Cora Lynn had any authority to make the contract referred to, or that the defendants afterwards ratified it.

Plaintiff was non-suited.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Acting Justice Ferguson.)

CLAIM AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

Lorenzini v Williams.

Mr. O'Connor, instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr. J. V. Tillett), appeared for the defendant, and applied for a postponement of the hearing of the action until next jury sittings. Mr. Piddington, instructed by Mr. A. J. M'Donald, appeared for the plaintiff, and said that although he was not in a position to consent to the application he would not oppose it if defendant paid the costs. As a matter of fact plaintiff was entitled to have the application dismissed on the ground that rule 112 had not been complied with, which provided that where an application was made for the postponement of a trial on the ground of the absence of a material witness the affidavit should state the matters which the witness was expected to prove, and that had not been done. The action was one brought by Augustino Leopoldo Francisco Lorenzini against James Leslie Williams (nominal defendant on behalf of the Government) to recover £3000 compensation for alleged wrongful trespass by the Government to the land and orchard of the plaintiff at Pennant Hills, between August, 1900, and December 31, 1906, in laying out portion of the Great Northern-road adjoining his property.

Application granted; costs to be costs in the cause.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson, Chief Judge in Equity.)

ORCHARDS AND MORTGAGES.

The Castle Hill Orangeries, Ltd., v Taylor and another.

Mr. J. A. Browne, instructed by Messrs. Morgan and Morgan, of Cootamundra, appeared for the plaintiffs, the Castle Hill Orangeries, Ltd., and Alfred Dornison Rogers; and Mr. Monahan, instructed by Messrs. H. T. Morgan and Morgan, of Sydney, for the defendants, John Thomas Taylor and William Thomas Taylor.

The plaintiffs, in their statement of claim, set out that the Castle Hill Orangeries, Ltd., was the registered owner of 19 acres 3 roods 25 perches of land in the parish of Castle Hill, county of Cumberland, and the plaintiff Rogers the registered proprietor of 4 acres 3 roods 14½ perches of land in the parish of South Colah. The two pieces adjoin each other, and are known as "Penrose." By an agreement dated May 25, 1907, the plaintiff company agreed to sell to defendant W. T. Taylor, the 19 acres 3 roods 25 perches for £2200, it being a term of the agreement that upon the signing of the contract W. T. Taylor and his father, the defendant J. T. Taylor, should execute to the company a mortgage over 28½ acres of land near Ryde, which J. T. Taylor owned, in lieu of an immediate cash deposit of £500, which sum was to be paid on or before December 1, 1907. The remainder of the purchase money was to be paid by six annual instalments of £100 up to the year 1913, and the balance, £1100, on March 31, 1914. By an agreement dated May 25, 1907, the plaintiff Rogers agreed to sell the 4 acres 3 roods 14½ perches at South Colah to the defendant W. T. Taylor, for £300, it being part of the agreement that the defendants should execute to Rogers a mortgage over the 28½ acres at Ryde in lieu of an immediate cash deposit. It was a further term of the agreements of sale that if the purchaser should fail to comply with the conditions, all moneys and promissory notes which he should have paid thereunder should be forfeited, and that the respective vendors should be at liberty to resell the properties to recover any deficiency arising on any resale from the purchasers for liquidated damages.

On May 25, 1907, the defendant J. T. Taylor was entitled to an estate in fee simple in possession, subject to a certain mortgage, in the 28½ acres of land in the parish of Hunter's Hill, being the property referred to in the agreement. By an indenture of mortgage dated July 10, 1907, the defendants jointly and severally covenanted to pay the plaintiff company the deposit of £500 by instalments, and the defendant J. T. Taylor mortgaged the 28½ acres to the company to secure the payment of the amount, subject to a certain prior mortgage. On the same date the defendants jointly agreed to pay the plaintiff Rogers a deposit of £20 and the sum of £100 alleged to have been advanced by Rogers, and the defendant J. T. Taylor mortgaged his 28½ acres to Rogers to secure the payment of the £100 and the £20 deposit. With the exception of £50 paid by the defendants as interest under the mortgages, neither of the defendants had made any payments on either principal of interest in respect of the mortgages, nor had the defendant W. T. Taylor paid any part of the purchase money or interest due in respect of the agreement of sale, the whole of the purchase money and a considerable sum for interest still remaining unpaid. Prior to December 21, 1909, the plaintiff Rogers had guaranteed a bank overdraft to W. T. Taylor over and above the £100 secured by mortgage to the amount of about £75, and there was due to Rogers by the defendants a sum of about £183. On December 21, 1909, the defendants' solicitors offered to Rogers, acting on behalf of himself and the plaintiff company, to transfer to the plaintiffs the 28½ acres of land at Ryde in consideration of the plaintiffs transferring "Penrose" to them, that a certain mortgage to Messrs. Wall and Charlton should be discharged by the defendants, and a fresh mortgage for the same amount be given over Penrose, that a second mortgage over Penrose should be given to Rogers to secure him the repayment of the £183 due to him, and that the defendants should have the right to remove the ripened crops and timber from the land. The offer was accepted in writing on behalf of the plaintiffs, and the title of Penrose was duly supplied to defendants' solicitors. On or about May 26, 1910, the defendants' solicitors supplied plaintiffs with an abstract of title to the 28½ acres. After certain further negotiations between the parties the defendants' solicitors, on June 18 last, on the defendants' instructions, refused to proceed further with the contract, and the defendants had wholly repudiated the same and refused to carry it out.

Plaintiffs, therefore, prayed that the defendants be ordered to specifically perform the contract created by the defendants' offer and plaintiffs' acceptance, that it be referred to the Master to inquire and report as to the amount of damages suffered by them in consequence of the defendants' breach of the contract, and that the defendants be ordered to pay the amount so found due to them. The other usual relief was also sought.

The defendants said in reply that the agreement entered into with the plaintiffs was only a tentative one, and that it was subject to certain conditions which the plaintiffs had not observed.

Evidence was entered upon.

The case stands part heard.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

MOTION TO VARY MASTER'S CERTIFICATE.

M'Laughlin v City Bank.

The argument is not yet concluded.

IN DIVORCE.

(Before Mr. Justice Gordon.)

PLUMMER v PLUMMER.

Mr. D. O'Carroll appeared on behalf of Thomas Plummer, a bricklayer, who petitioned for a divorce from Mara Plummer (formerly Farren), on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Sydney Bethel Home, on April 21, 1885, according to the rites of the Congregational Church.

The decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months.

SPENCER v SPENCER.

Messrs. Braye and Cohen, of Newcastle (by their agent, Mr. B. Keith Cohen), appeared in support of a petition by Alice Ann Spencer (formerly Woodward), who sought for a divorce from William Spencer, a cook, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Merewether, on September 1, 1897, according to the rites of the Church of England.

The case stood over for evidence of corroboration.

MONTGOMERY v MONTGOMERY.

Mr. C. M. Boyce appeared on behalf of Helena Montgomery (formerly Fretwell), who sought for a divorce from Robert Francis Montgomery, a plasterer, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Wallsend on November 17, 1884, according to the rites of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

The decree nisi was granted, respondent to pay costs of suit. A charge of misconduct in South Africa against the respondent was held to be not proved.

M'DONALD v M'DONALD.

Mr. Breckenridge, instructed by Messrs. Morgan and Morgan, of Cootamundra (by their agent, Mr. J. H. Robison), appeared on behalf of Bertha M'Donald (formerly Hair), who sought for a dissolution of her marriage with Angus M'Donald, a labourer, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Young on October 2, 1906, according to the rites of the Roman Catholic Church.

His Honor reserved judgment, and stated that his present opinion was that an agreement between the parties to live apart was an absolute bar to the granting of the petition.

WHITE v WHITE.

Mr. Breckenridge, instructed by Messrs. Morgan and Morgan, of Cootamundra (by their agent, Mr. J. H. Robison), appeared in support of a petition by Louisa White (formerly Coggan, a widow), who sought for a divorce from George White, a farmer, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Cootamundra on December 15, 1895, according to the rites of the Church of England.

His Honor granted a decree nisi, petitioner to have custody of the two chilren, with costs of the suit against the respondent.

NEVE v NEVE.

Mr. Boyce, instructed by Messrs. M'Donell and Moffitt, appeared in support of a petition by Walter Augustus Neve, a draper's assistant, for the dissolution of his marriage with Hannah Elizabeth Neve, on the ground of non-compliance with an order for restitution of conjugal rights. The parties were married at Summer Hill according to the rites of the Church of England on February 19, 1910. The petitioner said that his wife was employed at a city milliner's shop.

His Honor said it was a clear case, and made a decree nisi, returnable in six months, on the ground of non-compliance with the order made on March 24 last.

IN PROBATE.

(Before Mr. Justice Rich.)

A DISPUTED WILL.

Mr. R. Innes (instructed by Mr. Henlen, of Bathurst, by his agent, Mr. Pratt) was for plaintiff; and Mr. Knox, K.C., Mr. Maughan, and Mr. M'Donell (instructed by Messrs. M'Donell and Moffitt) for defendant, in a claim by Francis Benedict Kenny against Edith Wilson. Plaintiff asked the Court to grant probate of the will of the late Robert Douglas, of Bathurst, to him (plaintiff) as the sole executor, that for the purposes aforesaid all necessary inquiries and declarations might be made and directions given, that the defendant might be ordered to pay plaintiff's costs of and incidental to the suit, or, alternatively, that the same might be otherwise properly provided for; and that the plaintiff might have such further or other relief as the nature of the case might require. Plaintiff set out that he gave due notice of his intention to make application for probate, but on or about April 25 last defendant lodged a caveat.

Defendant denied that testator executed his last will and testament on December 28, 1910, as alleged by plaintiff, and that the paper writing bearing that date was not duly executed according to law. Defendant further said that testator at the date on which the will was said to have been executed was not of sound or disposing mind, that he did not know or approve of the contents thereof, and, further, that the execution of the alleged will was obtained by undue influence.

The case is part heard.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. F. H. Salusbury.)

MOTION TO DISCHARGE SEQUESTRATION ORDER.

Re Timothy O'Brien. Mr. O'Halloran appeared for bankrupt. The sequestration order was discharged.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re John Hosking (in Insolvency). Mr. A. P. Sparke appeared for bankrupt, and, on his application, the matter was adjourned to October 4.

Re Charles William Brown. Mr. M'Evilly appeared for bankrupt, and on his application, the matter was adjourned to September 20.

Re Charles James Webb. On the application of Mr. S. Kearney, who appeared for bankrupt, the matter was adjourned generally.

Re John Thomas Readford. On the application of Mr. Flynn, who appeared for bankrupt, the matter was adjourned to September 20.

Re Abraham Bales. Adjourned to September 20.

Re David Scholes. Adjourned to September 20.

Re Ravid Kiss. Mr. H. G. F. Walker appeared for bankrupt. The Registrar said that bankrupt had been insolvent on two previous occasions, and bankrupt on one previous occasion, and found that he had contracted debts without any reasonable or probable grounds of expectation of being able to pay. The operation of the order of discharge was suspended for 12 months.

Re Harry Alfred Morgan. Mr. Greenwell appeared for bankrupt, and Mr. Chubb for an objecting creditor. It was stated that there was no affidavit in reply to the report of the official assignee. Adjourned to September 21.

Re Joseph Lindsay Schmidt. Mr. Perry appeared for bankrupt. The order of discharge was granted.

Re Charles John Peek. The Registrar found that bankrupt contracted debts without reasonable or probable grounds of expectation of being able to pay them, and suspended the operation of the order of discharge for six months.

Re Alexander Robb. Adjourned to October 4.

MEETINGS AND EXAMINATIONS.

Re William Graham Eyles. The meeting closed, and the public examination was declared concluded.

Re Alexander Davis. Bankrupt was further examined by the official assignee. The meeting closed, and the public examination was declared concluded.

Re James Richard Mutton. Bankrupt was further examined by the official assignee. Adjourned to September 20.

Re Thomas Henry Noy. Bankrupt was sworn and examined by the official assignee. The meeting closed, and the public examination was declared concluded.

FEDERAL ARBITRATION COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Higgins.)

SHEARERS' CLAIMS.

Further evidence was heard in the dispute between the Australian Workers' Union and the Pastoralists' Federal Council of Australia, in which claimants are asking for better rates of pay and labour conditions.

John Mair, secretary of the Pastoralists' Union of New South Wales, recalled, produced documentary evidence as to the rates for rural workers, and also tables relative to the awards made by the industrial boards in New South Wales. These tables fully set out the rates paid for that class of labour, for which less than £2 2s a week was paid. Witness also produced tally books previously asked for showing rates paid for pressers on Dr. Kater's station; and an abstract of shed hands' earnings for New South Wales.

The case is part heard.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Backhouse.)

SALE OF A BUSINESS.

Edge and another v Mullett and another.

Mr. Hodgson, instructed by Mr. G. G. Eld, appeared for plaintiffs; and Mr. Davidson, instructed by Mr. John Hughes, for defendants. This was an action brought by Hannah More Edge and William Alexander Edge, of Chandos and Darvall streets, North Sydney, recently carrying on business as grocers at Lewisham, against Arthur James Mullett and his wife, Alice Eugenie Mullett, storekeepers, of Victoria-street, Lewisham, to recover £45 alleged to be balance due in respect to the purchase by defendants of the stock and goodwill of plaintiff's grocery business at Lewisham. Defendants pleaded never indebted, and that in consideration of their completing the contract and taking the whole of the stock, at the price of £175, and paying plaintiffs £125 5s, being the balance due for the goodwill of the business, and part payment for the stock, plaintiffs promised to allow certain deductions; also to allow certain discount and further time for the payment of the balance. The time for the payment of the balance had not been fixed, and after paying the £125 5s, defendants were negotiating in respect of the balance when plaintiffs commenced the action.

His Honor found for plaintiffs for the amount claimed, but without costs.

(Before Judge Murray.)

A SHIPPING ACCIDENT.

Mannix v Sydney Stevedoring and Wool-Dumping Company, Ltd.

Carlson v same.

Mr. Wise, K.C., Mr. Armstrong, and Mr. Hodgson, instructed by Mr. J. B. Moffatt, appeared for plaintiff, Mannix. Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Hodgson, instructed by Mr. J. B. Moffatt, for plaintiff, Carlson; and Mr. Broomfield, instructed by Messrs. J. R. Baxter, Bruce, and Co., for defendant company. In these cases Charles Carlson, of Kent-street, Miller's Point, wharf-labourer, claimed £200 compensation for injuries received through falling down the hold of the steamer Palermo through the alleged negligence of defendants, and Ann Agnes Mannix, administratrix of the estate of David Mannix, claimed £400 compensation for the loss of her husband on the same occasion.

The defence was a denial of negligence and that the accident did not occur "out of or in the course of the plaintiffs' employment" as provided in section 5 of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

The facts were admitted, and the only point for the Court to decide was whether or not the accident did occur "out of or in the course of plaintiffs' employment."

His Honor, in giving his reserved judgment, said there was a slight difference between the two cases, but as they were so closely connected, and had been heard together, he had decided to give judgment in them at the same time. He thought that, taking the general sense and tenor of the decisions under the Workmen's Compensation Act in England, the proper conclusion for him to draw was that under the circumstances the accident to Mannix "arose out of and in the course of his employment," and although deceased might be said to have acted somewhat foolishly or injudiciously in going in search of dunnage, he could not be said to have done anything approaching misconduct. He certainly thought the case for Mannix came under sections 5 and 6 of the Workmen's Compensation Act. As to Carlson, his Honor was also satisfied that he was acting in the course of his employment when he met with the mishap. He, therefore, found that both accidents came within the provisions of the Act, and it having been admitted that the plaintiff in Mannix's case was, in that case, entitled to £400, he found a verdict for that amount. In respect to Carlton's case he found a verdict for plaintiff for £13, and payment by the company to him of one penny per week until and unless further order was made.

A PECULIAR CASE.

CRANSTON v WIGHTMAN.

Mr. Tighe, instructed by Mr. G. S. McKellar, appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. Edwards, instructed by Messrs. Fulton and Lowe, for defendant. This was an action brought by Samuel Cranston, financial agent, of Moore-street, Sydney, against Reginald William Wightman, known as R. Mayhew, clerk, employed at 55 William-street, Sydney, to recover £35 10s, alleged to be the amount of an overdue order or bill of exchange drawn by T. Kennedy on defendant in favour of plaintiff. Particulars of this matter were published yesterday.

The case stands part heard.

INCREASE OF ATHEISM.

TENDENCY OF AGE.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR SESSION.

The final sessions of the annual conference of the Christian Endeavour Union was held yesterday. Dr. T. Roseby presided at the Bible study meeting, held in the morning at the Congregational School-hall, Pitt-street, when the Rev. F. E. Harry delivered an address.

The second part of the programme was held in the Baptist Church, Bathurst-street, and the subject of discourse was "The Abundant Life."

Rev. Alexander Stephen said that the problem of life had occupied the attention of humanity from time immemorial, but the question had not been completely solved. There were various kinds of life. The physical life was shared by man and the animals alike, but there was the moral life, which was enjoyed by the members of the whole human race, and finally the spiritual life, which was unique, personal, individual—something received direct by the person from Christ. The latter quality differentiated those who possessed it from the outside world. It was a personal fellowship with the Almighty. It was a life eternal.

Rev. J. Dempsey said that the present age was one of hurry and haste. The people were living in strenuous times, and under conditions that made very severe physical demands, with the result that there was great liability of the spiritual life being crushed out. They were open to the danger of neglecting the needs of the spirit in the anxiety to satisfy the needs created by modern conditions. It was quite clear that numbers of men were bit by bit becoming atheists. Large numbers were ceasing to believe in the efficacy of prayer. If man was to have belief it was necessary that he should have prayer. They must have their seasons of communion with God. Prayer was an essential of spiritual life.

The work of the conference was brought to a conclusion by a united consecration service in the Town Hall. Rev. P. J. Stephen led the opening prayer, which was followed by a Scripture reading by the Rev. D. M'Kay Barnett. Rev. C. H. Statham gave the dedicatory prayer. Amongst those taking part were the Rev. S. Varcoe-Cock, Rev. F. J. Dillon, Mr. J. B. Spencer, and Mr. L. Piper.

The consecration service was preached by the Rev. F. E. Harry, of Victoria, who took for his text St. Paul's Epistle to the Hebrews, ii. chap., 5 v. Unfortunately, he said, there was abroad to-day a class of superficial critics of Christianity. They called themselves rebels, and that was a proper name for them. Bernard Shaw was one of their leaders, and he had had the audacity to say that any man who made Jesus Christ his ideal in this life was not worth working for. Such men maintained that criticism had passed out Jesus and the Gospels. Criticism could not do this, and he had no hesitation in urging young people who were stepping out into life, with all its risks, to make Jesus their ideal.

THICK COAL SEAMS.

ROYAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY.

WEST MAITLAND, Wednesday.

The Royal Commission inquiring into the working of thick coal seams in the Maitland and Cessnock districts sat again on Tuesday.

George Gregory, miner at Aberdare colliery, recalled, explained an amendment of his scheme, in so far as it applied to working pillars. He would leave his proposal to lift the machine on to canch by means of block and tackle or screwjack stand, and put forward his new proposal as an alternate method. Assuming that they had a straight face of 18 feet of coal, he would start the machine working about two feet from the pavement, and would get a raise of about 18 inches in first slanting the cut. In the next cut the machine would be of an incline, and the back would have to be packed. The operation would be repeated so that four cuts of six feet in would practically bring him up eight feet from the floor. The fifth cut would take him over the brow, and the machine would require packing, so that they might cut straight ahead, as in ordinary work. Five runs would complete the grade required to work the machine through the pillar. He was satisfied no difficulty would be experienced in winching the machine up the grade that would be formed. The grade would be about one in four, but they might make it easier.

Richard Howe, machine man at Abermain, considered it practicable to use machines on pillars under Gregory's alternative scheme, and explained how the work would be effected.

Joseph Parker Hindmarsh, inspector of collieries, stated that he left Pelaw Main as manager to take his present position. While he was there for about two years they worked bottoms and some tops. They had no accidents in the top. Where the roof was bad the top coal was left up. The system was satisfactory. He had no experience of thick seams, except in the Pelaw Main. During his time they had an experience of mudstone and sandstone intrusions, and left three feet of head coal. He saw disadvantages in Gregory's scheme.

The commission adjourned till the 20th instant.

THE CONSTANTINOPLE FIRES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—We beg your permission heartily to commend to all who are able and willing to relieve distressed humanity, the appeal for help made on behalf of the unfortunate men, women, and children who have lost their homes and household goods in the recent catastrophe at Stamboul. We are informed that the property of few has been covered by insurance, and that the need for assistance is very urgent. British residents at Pera and Galata are co-operating with those of other nationalities in succouring the victims of the fire.

A correspondent writes:—"One can walk for several miles over nothing but ruins and smouldering cinders stretching from the sea of Marmora almost to the shore of the Golden Horn; 2500 dwellings, shops, and other buildings have been destroyed. Many thousands are absolutely destitute. Tents have been pitched in every available spot, and families are camping out in the courtyards of Mosques, squares, gardens, and even on the sites of disused cemeteries. As during the last ten weeks there have been 126 deaths from cholera, it is feared that the rate of mortality will greatly increase. The defective municipal arrangements for the prevention of fires and the lack of efficient organisation contributed to widen the extent of the disaster; and it has to be recorded that the fortunate presence of the gun-boats stationed in Turkish waters for the service of the Ambassadors has been of the utmost value. All are unanimous in praising the bravery and activity and resourcefulness of the foreign naval officers and sailors, through whose courage and skill, and knowledge in grappling with an emergency, the flames were overcome before destroying the entire city."

Apart from those having business relations with the Ottoman Empire, or who have travelled in the European and Asiatic provinces, and enjoyed the generous and traditional hospitality of the East, there are, we feel sure, many of our countrymen in the United Kingdom and in the dominions beyond the seas who, mindful of our historic associations with Turkey in the past, will be glad to show their practical sympathy with the homeless poor of Stamboul in this their time of sore need.

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We are, etc.,

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MARK SYKES.	

London, August 12.

[The bona-fides of this appeal are indisputable. We have learned by cablegrams of the extent of the harm done by the fires. Amongst the above signatories are Lord Ronaldshay, Miss Lowthian Bell, and Major Sykes, all of whom are well-known travellers in Turkish territories. Lord Lamington is an ex-Governor of Queensland.—Ed. "S.M.H."]

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS, with plans of distribution, in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Citizens'-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and notice is hereby given that such Accounts and Plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on Thursday, 28th September, 1911, if not previously objected to:—

KHUD GALE, of South Grafton (No. 985), a second account providing for payment of the fees, charges, and expenses, and carrying a balance of £20 is forward to the credit of the Estate.

JAMES NOONAN, of Narrandera, Farmer (No. 9630), a second account and first plan of distribution, showing payment of a dividend of three shillings and one-twelfth of a penny in the pound on all proved concurrent claims.

PATRICK McMahon, of Ellesmere-street, Kensington, late of Grafton, Hotelkeeper (No. 15,181), a second account and first plan of distribution, showing payment of a dividend of seven shillings and twopence three-eighths of a penny in the pound on all proved concurrent claims.

CHARLES PRICE, Senior, of Main South Coast-road, Keira Vale, near Wollongong, Farmer and Dairyman (No. 17,976), a fourth account and fourth plan of distribution, showing payment of a dividend of threepence seven forty-eighths of a penny in the pound on all proved concurrent claims, and payment of an equalising dividend of one shilling and one penny one-tenth of a penny in the pound on one claim lodged since the filing of the last account.

Also, an account current only in the undermentioned Estate:—

No. 18,877. RICHARD JOSEPH PILGER, of Thomas-street, Adamstown, Labourer.

WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Official Assignee.

47 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, 12th September, 1911.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY AND IN INSOLVENCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS, with plans of distribution, in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Citizens'-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested, and notice is hereby given that such Accounts and Plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on Thursday, 28th September, 1911, if not previously objected to:—

WILLIAM SOMERVILLE, of Bulli, Timber Merchant (No. 8572), a third account and third plan of distribution, showing payment of a dividend of ten pence five-eighths of a penny in the £ on all proved concurrent claims.

GEORGE FRANCIS, of 66 Ultimo-road, Sydney, Blacksmith (No. 22,650), a second account and second plan of distribution, showing payment of a dividend of one penny seven-sixteenths of a penny in the £ on all proved concurrent claims.

WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Official Assignee.

47 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, 12th September, 1911.

APPLICATION FOR A COLONIAL WINE LICENSE. —To the Licensing Court of the Metropolitan Licensing District Balmain.—I, JOHN ALBERT OLSON, of 105 Rowntree-street, Balmain, do hereby give Notice that I desire to obtain, and will, at the next Quarterly Licensing Court, to be holden at Sydney on the 19th day of October, apply for a certificate authorising the issue of a Colonial Wine License for a house situate at 105 Rowntree-street, Balmain. JOHN ALBERT OLSON, Grocer, 105 Rowntree-street, Balmain.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 31,908.—In the Will of JOHN GLEESON, late of Bega, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Seventh Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the seventeenth day of October, at 10.15 o'clock in the forenoon and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court, Commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executors. Dated this thirteenth day of September, in the year 1911. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. BLAND and CUNNINGHAM, Proctors for Executors, Bega. By their Agents, VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, 28 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM HENRY HOLMES, late of Oakendale, near Glencoe, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Executors' Third Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Queen's-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claims on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office, on or before the eleventh day of October next, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this ninth day of September, A.D. 1911. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. ELLIOTT and WALLER, Proctors for Executors, Dungog. By McDONELL and MOFFITT, their Agents, Wynyard-street, Sydney.

IN THE INTESTATE ESTATE OF EPHRAIM HILL, late of Labour Farm, Randwick, deceased.—All persons having Claims against the above Estate are requested to forward the same, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned, on or before the 27th day of September, 1911. T. W. GARRETT, Curator of the above Estate. Chancery-square, Sydney, 13/9/1911.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate and Effects of HOULTON HARRIES VOSS, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Sydney on 3rd August, 1911, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the said estate to the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, 2, 4, and 6 Spring-street, Sydney, the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales on 30th August, 1911, on or before the twenty-seventh day of October next, in default whereof the said Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, will, after the lastmentioned date, proceed to administer the estate, and distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto; having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice. And the said Company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this twelfth day of September, 1911. For PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited, A. J. MACKENZIE, Manager. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN, Proctors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MARY LOWE, late of Smithfield, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died on or about the twenty-ninth day of June, 1911), and Probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the twenty-ninth day of August, 1911, to JEFFREY GRIME, at Carlingford, the Executor named in the said Will, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Jeffrey Grime, or to the undersigned, the Proctor for the said Executor, on or before the twenty-sixth day of October next, at the expiration of which time the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have had notice. And the said Executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this thirteenth day of September, 1911. H. PEDEN STEEL, Proctor for the said Executor, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of VICTOR CHAMAGNE, late of Forbes, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate and Effects of the abovenamed deceased, may be granted to MARY CHAMAGNE, of Forbes aforesaid, the Widow of the said deceased (LUCIEN GONSOLIN, the sole Executor named in the said Will, having predeceased the Testator thereof). All persons having any claim against the said Estate and Effects are requested to send in particulars of the same to the undersigned within the said period of fourteen days; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. Dated this twelfth day of September, 1911. RALPH E. B. REYMOND, Proctor for the said Applicant, Harold-street, Forbes. By his Agents, Messrs. SLY and RUSSELL, Solicitors, 369 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FREDERIC ROBERT MOGER, late of Neutral Bay, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ELEANOR SIDNEY EMILY MOGER, the said Will called Eleanor Sydney Emily Moger, the Widow of the said deceased, and the Executrix in the said Will named, so far as regards the Estate and Effects of the deceased situated elsewhere than in the United Kingdom; and all persons having any claim against the said deceased are requested to send in particulars thereof to, and all notices may be served on, the undersigned. Dated this 13th day of September, 1911. HENRY SALWEY, Solicitor for the Executrix, Ocean House, 24 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of EVE WOODHILL, late of Clarence-street, Burwood, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ERNEST HENRY WOODHILL, of Clarence-street, Burwood, the Husband of the said deceased, and that the Administration Bond herein may be dispensed with or reduced, and all persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to send particulars of the same to the undersigned within such fourteen days, and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. FITZHARDINGE, SON, and HOUSTON, Proctors for the Administrator, Castlereagh-chambers, 10 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MATTHEW WELSH, late of Forbes, in the State of New South Wales, Selector, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN McAULIFFE, of Forbes aforesaid, Dean of the Roman Catholic Church, the sole Executor named in the said Will; all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send in particulars of the same to the undersigned within the said period of fourteen days; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. Dated this twelfth day of September, 1911. RALPH E. B. REYMOND, Proctor for the Executor, Harold-street, Forbes. By his Agents, SLY and RUSSELL, 369 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicils of WILLIAM HENRY CAVILL, late of Balmain, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will and Codicils of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HARRY COX and JESSICA ALVEY CAVILL, the Executor and Executrix named therein, and all notices may be served at, and all claims sent in within the said fourteen days to, the undermentioned address. FREDERIC HART KING, Proctor for Executor and Executrix, 10 Bligh-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of AGNES ALEXANDER, late of High-street, Neutral Bay, Married Woman, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Widower of the said deceased; and notice is hereby given that application will be made that the usual Bond may be dispensed with; and creditors are hereby required to send in their claims to the undersigned; and all notices may be served at the offices of MARK MITCHELL and FORSYTH, Proctors for the Applicant, Savings Bank-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM COHEN, late of Uarbry, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM CHARLES COHEN, the Executor named in the said Will. And all Creditors in the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned. And all Notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. R. A. MONRO KIN (and DOWD, Proctors for the Executor, Souter's-chambers, Herbert-street, Gulgong; and 3 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of THOMAS COLLARD WOOD, late of Great Marlow, near Grafton, in the State of New South Wales, Retired Farmer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to THOMAS JOSEPH WOOD, the Eldest Son of the said deceased. All claims against the said deceased are to be sent within the above fourteen days to the undersigned, upon whom all Notices herein may be served. LOBBAN and LOBBAN, Proctors for the Applicant, Grafton; and the Equitable-building, 350 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ELIZA PHILP, late of Southgate, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN PHILP, the sole Executor in the said Will named; all claims against the said deceased are to be sent within the above fourteen days to the undersigned, upon whom all notices herein may be served. LOBBAN and LOBBAN, Proctors for the Executor, Grafton; and Equitable-building, 350 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROBERT HENRY ADAMS, late of Chatswood, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY JANE ADAMS and MARY LOUISA ADAMS, the Executrices in the said Will named. All Notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, to whom all Claims against the estate should be sent forthwith. COLLINS and MULHOLLAND, Proctors for Executrices, 81 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction. In the Estate of HUGH POLLOCK, late of Ryde, in the State of New South Wales, Barrister-at-Law, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JAMES ARTHUR POLLOCK, the Brother of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the office of WEAVER and ALLWORTH, Proctors, Australasia-chambers, 2 Martin-place, Sydney.

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ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

DAIRYING RETURNS.

Naturally the New Zealand dairy people resent the assertions made by a Victorian delegate at the recent conference of co-operative butter factories recently held in Sydney. On this side, of course, experience has taught us not to attach any great weight to the anti-graders' arguments, which do not always display a proper respect for facts and are seldom consistent. The comparison relative to the status of the dairying industry in New Zealand was obviously of the nature of a forlorn desperate hope. The undeniable benefit of compulsory grading to the dairy farmers of New Zealand has always been a galling fact to the anti-grader. It is a practical proof that cannot be escaped, hence it is decidedly obnoxious to those who vainly endeavour to condemn the compulsory grading system. The simplest method from the reactionary standpoint was therefore to indulge in rash statements, oblivious of the fact that convincing contradiction was sure to follow. Perhaps the hope was entertained that the contradiction might not reach the same ears as the assertion. It would not be the first time such tactics were pursued by the reactionary party.

Yesterday we published a contradiction from the editor of the "New Zealand Dairyman" in regard to the statement that the local selling of butter had proved disastrous to New Zealand. In disproof of this he emphasises the illuminative fact that practically all the factories in the Dominion have already sold straight out for the whole season. As this course has been followed after a trial of the other system, we can only conclude that our New Zealand friends are hopelessly blind to their own interests, and that the local co-operative managements have all the wisdom in the trade, or that the latter are somewhat rash in their statements. History does not indicate that the New Zealanders are lacking in a knowledge of the best lines on which to conduct the dairying industry, so the first presumption fails. As regards local selling and direct consignment, we are inclined to believe the latter the best policy if adhered to consistently and conducted in a proper business manner. But there is no necessity in supporting the system to indulge in statements that are bound to be refuted.

Regarding the comparison between prices obtained by suppliers in Victoria and New Zealand, another fantastic argument that the Victorian anti-grader fired at the conference, the "New Zealand Times" also writes:—

It was further stated that a comparison between New Zealand and Victorian factory balance-sheets showed that lower prices had been received in New Zealand over a period of five years than had prevailed in Victoria. This was accounted for by the fact that grade-stamping had resulted in gambling in local sales. From the meagre details supplied it is difficult to arrive at the conclusion of the Victorian critic, or to understand why the grading system—which is admitted as being one of the most beneficial measures yet introduced in the way of improving the quality of dairy produce in this Dominion—should be condemned root and branch because of alleged gambling among oversea buyers. It does not signify whether butter is sold locally or on consignment, there must always be an element of risk either to the oversea firm or to the consignor. The point to be determined is whether grading is detrimental to the large bulk of suppliers. As far as this country is concerned, there can be no question that the industry has been greatly improved since grading was adopted. Had the result been otherwise the directorates of dairy companies would have protested long ago. On the contrary, at the recent dairy conference it was decided to recommend that the system be extended to include another grade to cover the choicest blends. It is not stated on what basis the comparisons between local and Victorian prices were made. The inference is that factories received less per pound for manufactured butter by selling locally. It would have been more conclusive had the relative prices received by suppliers for butter fat per lb been given, because the conditions in vogue in the two countries are not identical. It is admitted that a few of the Victorian factories do receive slightly more for their manufactured article than prevails here. This is accounted for by the fact that there is far more home separation in Victoria, which reduces the cost of working. This being so, the supplier has to stand the loss of butter fat in separation, which, in itself, is a consideration. In our whole milk factories the supplier is paid for any loss in this direction. Those few factories in Victoria which pay a higher price per pound of butter fat have, as a rule, a local trade which consumes a larger percentage of the factory's output that is the case in New Zealand. It is well known that local sales almost invariably net a higher price than is realised for butter sent to London. The question of the disposal of outputs may be safely left to the discretion of those who are most intimately concerned, and it will require something more definite than an unsupported message such as the one under notice to cause producers to seek to abandon a system that has been the means of stimulating the industry and raising the standard of the article.

Apart from the above, it must be realised that any comparison between prices paid by factories is absolutely valueless under existing conditions. One has only to glance at the differences at times to be noted existing between factories in the one district, even in this State, to see that little dependence can be placed on such comparisons. It is now generally admitted that there is room for considerable improvement in the manner of presenting butter factories' balance-sheets and returns in order to provide a solid basis for purposes of comparison. As it is now, we do not think anyone is going to be influenced by any deductions made from a comparison of balance-sheets. Especially is this the case when it is attempted to prove that the Victorian dairy farmer, without compulsory grading, is better off than the New Zealander, who continues to prosper, much to the vexation of the anti-grader, and continues, not only to admire and support the system of compulsory grading of butter, but to ask for more of it.

WATERING THE WEST.

The fact that keen interest is being shown in the Dubbo-Narromine districts in a proposed scheme to utilise the waters of the Macquarie for irrigation purposes is significant of the trend of present-day thought. It is beyond dispute that the realisation emphasised for many years past of the necessity for making a better use of what water we have got is at last bearing fruit. The spectacle of millions of gallons of water running away to the sea, absolutely wasted, during certain periods, has at all times been a glaring anachronism in a country that at other times is in such bitter need of water. Irrigation and water conservation are two essentials in Australia to ensure permanent prosperity. We have as a people long realised this, but are only now definitely aiming at providing these essentials. Whether we will be able to encompass the many bold schemes that are now to the fore has to be proved, but it is a healthy indication. As regards the Macquarie scheme, one thing at least must be admitted—if the water can be obtained and utilised a magnificent tract of country becomes available for intense culture. Of the richness of the soil, the congeniality of the climate, there is no question. Water is the one factor necessary to guarantee tremendous productivity. A meeting will be shortly held at Dubbo, we understand, for the purpose of considering the proposal, and the delegates should certainly be able to bring an attractive scheme under the notice of Parliament. The possibility at any time of watering our rich western land presents such attractive visions of successful land settlement as to irresistibly demand attention.

LIVE STOCK SALEYARDS.

The Public Works Committee on Wednesday further considered the expediency of constructing saleyards on the abattoir area, Homebush, for the disposition and sale of live stock.

Mr. George J. Gilmour said he was a stockowner. He absolutely denied that the agitation for the removal of the yards was due, as had been alleged, to jealousy between the agents. He had never known any question affecting the country on which country people were more unanimous than this. They were particularly unanimous that the Government should take over the control of the yards, in the first place, and that the yards should be removed as close as possible to the abattoirs. In the present yards the facilities for handling stock were so bad that both cattle and sheep had to be harried and rushed through an insufficient number of lanes into badly sized pens. Many more small pens were wanted, so that there might be proper classification of small mobs. That want would become more pronounced as closer settlement advanced, because there would be more small farmers consigning stock. Farmers and settlers' Associations and other country people were strongly against the revenue from the yards going into the coffers of the City Council, as it was unfair to the country that a profit of £10,000 per year from that source should go towards beautifying Sydney. If the yards were under the control of the Government, and the revenue were paid into the national treasury, country people believed they would get a fair portion of it. He did not think it possible to improve the present yards so as to provide the necessary facilities, and considered the Government would be justified in spending a quarter of a million on the proposal before the committee. He quite recognised that the City Council had sunk £100,000 on the present yards, and that its rights should be safeguarded. The matter should be settled equitably between them and the Government; but he was emphatic in the declaration that the Government should take over the control.

GRAPE GROWING V. WHEAT GROWING.

Mr. A. J. Wenke, whose experience as a very successful grower of grapes and currants, which he combines with wheatgrowing and the production of wool at his Date Hill farm at Walla Walla, has been more than once referred to in this column, delivered an address before a meeting of farmers at Wagga, at the invitation of the Department of Agriculture. The object of the lecture was to demonstrate the suitability of a large area of Eastern Riverina for the production of a very high grade of both currants and wine and table grapes. Mr. Wenke introduced his subject by emphasising the necessity for proper cultivation of the vineyard both before the planting of the vines and afterwards. The first and most essential thing was that before the planting the ground should be scarified at least eight times within three months. After explaining in detail the methods to be followed in selecting and preparing a site for the vineyard, and stating that any farmer of average intelligence could after a little inquiry and observation successfully manage the cultivation of vines, the picking, preparation, and marketing of his products, without in any degree interfering with the ordinary work of a wheat and sheep farm, Mr. Wenke passed on to a discussion of the profits of grape-growing and made some interesting comparisons. Taking wheat first, he said a fair average crop would be 18 bushels to the acre. Sold at 3s 6d per bushel this would yield £3 3s per acre, or for 10 acres a farmer would have a return of £31 10s. The expenditure on production would be £10 5s, leaving £21 5s as the net return from the 10 acres. From 10 acres of vines the result would be vastly different. A fair average crop would be three tons per acre. A fair average price would be £6 10s per ton, or £19 10s for one acre, and £195 for the 10 acres. The cost of production he placed at £45 5s, which would leave a net return of £149 15s for the 10 acres. In Mr. Wenke's view these figures should convince any person of the value of grape production as against cereal crops, and especially of their value to a man with a small area. For grape-growing less machinery was required and fewer horses, and the labour entailed was less than generally supposed. Farmers with a large family of sons, but only possessed of a few hundreds of acres of land, would be enabled by combining grape and currant production with their mixed farming to so subdivide their land that a living could be made by each member of the family. The question of growing grapes on trellis-work was touched upon, but as these entailed greater labour Mr. Wenke advised the selection of vines requiring no trellis. He was of opinion from a close study of the growing requirements of the world's markets, and especially the markets right at their doors, that grapes would always command a price which would make their production profitable. The stock of vines should be purchased from the department, so as to secure reliable plants, and a space of 10 feet should be allowed between the vines in the orchard to enable the plough and scarifier to work between the rows.

"There are thousands of acres," said Mr. Wenke in conclusion, "in this portion of Riverina eminently adapted to the production of first-class grapes and currants, and I cannot do better than advise farmers to start by setting out a few acres. I am sure that with experience will come the desire to increase the area under the very profitable and easily-managed vine."

SHORTAGE OF RURAL LABOUR.

"Worker and Small Capitalist" writes regarding the dearth of labour in country districts:—"A neighbour of mine employed a boy of 15 years of age a short time back, and gave him his rations free. That boy in five weeks earned £14 for rabbitskins alone. My neighbour saw the cheques paid by the skinbuyer, and no doubt the lad had a few foxskins besides, which were worth from 6s to 7s each. Another neighbour and I require a boundary fence erected. We advertised locally, commencing a fortnight ago. We have had so far one application from fencers, who would come in a month's time to do the work if we pay them at a rate about double what this work would have cost some six years ago. The class of person who feels most acutely the great difficulty of getting done such work as I have referred to is the small capitalist. It means stoppage of development work of any kind, as he cannot possibly afford to pay the huge rates necessary to secure labour. It is impossible to settle a yeomanry upon the land, with advantage to them or to the country, unless they are supplied with peasants to help them develop it. This country now requires, above all other classes, a good class of peasants or agricultural labourers. It does not need capitalists, at least not till the peasantry is supplied. All that is required is a very large influx of able-bodied labourers, and until we get them I venture to say that this country will not go ahead very fast. The attempt to get small capitalists to come here is, for the time being, a mistaken one. We could, I suppose, give every head of a family a 640-acre block of his own; that is to say, we have land enough to do it; but what would be the use of it to him if he could not get any assistance in working it.

"We have now a preposterous inquiry going on as to whether or no there is a shortage of labour, an inquiry so absurd that one cannot but feel that it would be as cogent to have a Royal Commission to inquire whether sovereigns are worth picking up. It emphatically behoves "the powers that be," whether Liberal or Labour—and there is not much difference between them—to make their best and most determined efforts to meet the dire need of men of brawn and muscle to develop this fine land. We have room for thousands upon thousands of men, who can help us to turn our half-cleared and half-fenced country into highly-developed pastoral and agricultural land, and to rid it of its pests. We can afford to pay them decent wages; but we must have them at a rate that will leave a margin of profit to the small employer if we want a well-to-do and healthy yeomanry in this land. This is the most crying need of the country at the present time. Railway development and irrigation development should follow, not precede, it; in fact, in a large way they must follow, as at present, no large scheme of development on these or any lines can proceed. The idea that we should have land ready to give immigrants on their arrival, which I have frequently seen enunciated, seems to be quite beside the mark. We do not urgently want more settlers on the land, but we do urgently require assistance for those already settled upon it."

THE TIMBER INDUSTRY.

NATURAL REAFFORESTATION RECOMMENDED.

WINGHAM.—Mr. R. Godwin, timber inspector in the district of Forster and Myall, thinks that very little success will be achieved in the direction of reafforestation by the planting of trees. He contends that the only effective way of facing such an important question would be by the Government reserving, say 100 acres of suitable land, in various centres of the State, putting a man in charge of each area to ringbark all the inferior timber, when in due course a fire could be put through it. Nature would then accomplish in a few years what man will be wrestling with for a lifetime on the system of plantations such as had been established at Tuncurry.

WARRAH RESUMED AREA.

TAMWORTH.—The Warrah Land Commission was occupied on Tuesday and Wednesday hearing the evidence of farmers resident in the locality of the resumed area on behalf of the appellant company. In each case Messrs. Wise and Pike, for the Crown, subjected the witness to searching cross-examination.

Joshua Upton, farmer and grazier, residing at Willow Tree, said he had been there 33 years, and during the whole of that time had engaged in farming, and had made a success of it, having reared a family of 12. He had grown lucerne, wheat, barley, maize, etc. He had only had two failures—1888 and 1902.

George Warboys, farmer and grazier, Castlemount, Quirindi, stated he had inspected Warrah resumed area. It was all good wheat and grazing land, with a little loose stone here and there. He thought a 5 per cent. reduction would cover the amount of stone on the land. It would make good dairying country.

To Mr. Pike: To carry on dairying profitably it would be necessary to have fairly cheap labour. However, if good wages had to be paid he thought dairying would come out quite as well as wheat-growing. He estimated it would cost 10s or 12s an acre to cart the stones off the resumed area.

Frederick Arthur Esley, farmer, Castlemount, Quirindi, also gave evidence in regard to the classification of land which he had inspected.

THE SEASON.

MUDGEE.—Mr. F. H. Whyte, stock inspector, after a visit to Hargraves, Hill End, Tunnabidgee, and Pyramul, reports that there is a welcome shoot in the grass. This is much needed, as the heavy mortality among breeding ewes has been traceable to lack of nourishment, due to the dry condition of the country. The lambs look well, but the mothers have an impoverished appearance. Mr. Whyte expects that rabbits will be numerous this summer, as there are evidences of heavy breeding.

NEW ZEALAND CROPS.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Wednesday.

Reports from Canterbury state that the rainfall recently experienced will save the situation, which was jeopardised by prospects of a drought.

DAIRYING.

MUDGEE.—At the Mudgee Butter Factory during the month of August 43,724lb of cream was received, and the butter made was 18,637lb. The price realised for butter during the month was from 116/ to 120/ per cwt. Cheques paid out for the month represented £897/6/7.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

BLACKTOWN.—All varieties of grapes are budding. Some shoots are several inches long, and show good signs of fruit. Gardeners are planting large numbers of tomatoes. Pumpkins, melons, cucumbers, and potatoes continue to be sown wherever the ground is dry enough to work.

GERRINGONG.—At the cattle sales recently fat bullocks sold at £6 9s, steers £5 19s, heifers £5 10s, springing heifers £6 7s 6d.

HARGRAVES.—Last week at Kuniong Mr. Bert. Bond succeeded in capturing six foxes from 10 baits, using, on this occasion, poisoned rosellas. Mr. Bond is amongst the sufferers in the loss of sheep. Altogether he has lost 50 head.

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CHANGES AT THE QUAY.

In preparation for the changes which the Harbour Trust Commissioners intend making in the allotment of berths, dredging is now in progress deepening the western side of Circular Quay at the southern end of the Norddeutscher Lloyd wharf. Increased depth there is necessary in order that the big mail boats of this line shall be enabled to move about when fully laden, the proposal being to shift them from the northern end, and transfer the Hongkong and island steamers to the N.D.L. wharfs, Darling Harbour. The E. and A. liners, which have been berthed at the nearest point to the tram traffic for a great number of years, are to be transferred to the wharf now occupied by the German mail steamers, and in all probability this part of the Quay (known as the E. and A. wharf) will be kept for the future development of the ferry traffic.

TOBACCONISTS ASSISTANTS' WAGES.

The award of the Shop Assistants (Tobacconists') wages board, of which Mr. C. E. Weigall is chairman, and Messrs. Wm. Berry and G. R. Young employers and employees' representative respectively, has been issued. Only three meetings of the board were held, the award being practically on the lines of an agreement between the employers and the Shop Assistants' Union. The wages provided for in the award are:—Age 14, males 10s, females 5s; age 15, males 12s 6d, females 7s 6d; age 16, males 15s, females 10s; age 17, males 17s 6d, females 12s; age 18, males 21s, females 14s; age 19, males 27s 6d, females 17s 6d; age 20, males 32s 6d, females 20s; age 21, males 42s 6d, females 25s; age 22, males 47s 6d, females 30s; 23 and over, males 55s, females 40s. Casual hands, 25 per cent. additional. The hours of work are to be such as are provided for tobacconists' establishments under the Early Closing Act. Double time is to be allowed for holidays. The proportion of juniors to seniors shall not be more than one junior to one senior. Preference to unionists is granted. The award is to cover the county of Cumberland and the Newcastle district.

"I've done one smart thing in my life,"
Said Cholly to his new-wed wife,
"You married me," said she, "in Fife."
"Tut!" said the man.
"It isn't that at all, my dear,
But I take for coughs throughout the year
Woods' Peppermint Cure, I'm well, 'tis clear;
Just follow my plan."—Advt.

CRICKET.

GRADE AND INTERSTATE MATCHES.

FIXTURES FOR THE SEASON.

At a special meeting of the N.S.W. Cricket Association yesterday the programme of interstate and grade matches for the season was adopted. It was suggested, however, that the first of the N.S.W.-Queensland fixtures should be played in Sydney, and the executive committee agreed to endeavour to induce the Queensland body to fall in with the proposal and send a team to Sydney for November 4, the return match on December 23 to be played at Brisbane. The programme is as follows:—

INTERSTATE MATCHES.

November 4.—N.S.W. v Queensland, at Brisbane.
December 1.—N.S.W. v South Australia, at Sydney.
December 22.—N.S.W. v Victoria, at Melbourne.
December 23.—N.S.W. v Queensland, at Sydney.
January 5.—N.S.W. v South Australia, at Adelaide.
January 26.—N.S.W. v Victoria, at Sydney.

FIRST GRADE.

First Round, September 30-October 7.—Middle Harbour v Petersham, at Manly; University v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Paddington v Redfern, at Redfern; Waverley v Sydney, at Waverley; Gordon v C. Cumberland, at Chatswood; Burwood v Glebe, at Burwood; Balmain, a bye.

Second Round, October 7-October 14.—Middle Harbour v Redfern, at Manly; North Sydney v Sydney, at S.C.G., No. 1; Petersham v C. Cumberland, at Parramatta; University v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Paddington v Balmain, at Hampden Oval; Gordon v Burwood, at Chatswood; Waverley, a bye.

Third Round, October 21-October 28.—Middle Harbour v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; Waverley v University, at University; Gordon v Petersham, at Petersham; Burwood v North Sydney, at S.C.G., No. 1; Balmain v Sydney, at Birchgrove Oval No. 1; Glebe v C. Cumberland, at Wentworth Park; Redfern, a bye.

Fourth Round, November 4-November 11.—Middle Harbour v Balmain, at Birchgrove, No. 1; C. Cumberland v Burwood, at Burwood; Sydney v Gordon, at S.C.G., No. 1; Redfern v Waverley, at Redfern; North Sydney v Paddington, at North Sydney; Petersham v University, at University; Glebe v O'Hara's XI., Wentworth Park.

Fifth Round, November 18-December 9.—Middle Harbour v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Petersham v Redfern, at Redfern; University v Sydney, at Rushcutter Bay; Paddington v C. Cumberland, at Parramatta; Waverley v Glebe, at Waverley; Gordon v Balmain, at S.C.G., No. 1; Burwood, a bye.

Sixth Round, December 30-January 6.—Middle Harbour v C. Cumberland, at Manly; Sydney v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Redfern v Balmain, at Birchgrove No. 1; Petersham v Burwood, at Petersham; University v Gordon, at University; Paddington v Waverley, at Waverley; North Sydney, a bye.

Seventh Round.—January 13, January 20: Middle Harbour v University, at S.C.G. No. 1; Paddington v Petersham, at Petersham; Waverley v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Gordon v Redfern, at Chatswood; Burwood v Sydney, at Burwood; Balmain v Glebe, at Birchgrove No. 1; C. Cumberland a bye.

Eighth Round.—February 3, February 10: Middle Harbour v Sydney, at Manly; Redfern v C. Cumberland, at Parramatta; North Sydney v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Petersham v Balmain, at S.C.G. No. 1; Paddington v Burwood, at Hampden Oval; Waverley v Gordon, at Waverley; University a bye.

Ninth Round.—March 2, March 9: Middle Harbour v Gordon, at Chatswood; Burwood v Waverley, at Burwood; Balmain v University, at University; Glebe v Petersham, at Petersham; C. Cumberland v North Sydney, at S.C.G. No. 2; Sydney v Redfern, at S.C.G. No. 1; Paddington a bye.

Tenth Round.—March 16, March 23: Balmain v Burwood, at Birchgrove No. 1; Glebe v Gordon, at Chatswood; C. Cumberland v Waverley, at Parramatta; Sydney v Paddington, at Rushcutter Bay; Redfern v University, at University; North Sydney v Petersham, at S.C.G. No. 1; Middle Harbour a bye.

Eleventh Round.—March 30, April 13: Middle Harbour v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; C. Cumberland v Balmain, at Parramatta; Redfern v Burwood, at Redfern; North Sydney v Gordon, at North Sydney; Petersham v Waverley, at S.C.G. No. 2; University v Paddington, at S.C.G. No. 1; Sydney a bye.

Twelfth Round.—April 20, April 27: Middle Harbour v Burwood, at Burwood; Balmain v Waverley, at Waverley; Glebe v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; C. Cumberland v University, at S.C.G. No. 1; Sydney v Petersham, at Petersham; Redfern v North Sydney, at Redfern; Gordon a bye.

SECOND GRADE.

First Round.—September 30-October 2: St. George v North Sydney, at Hurstville Oval; Gordon v Burwood, at Alexandria Oval; Middle Harbour v Randwick at Randwick; Glebe v Balmain, at Wentworth Park; Newtown v Waverley, at Erskineville; Mosman v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Marrickville v University, at University; Paddington v Central Cumberland, at Parramatta; Redfern v Sydney, at S.C.G. No. 2; Petersham, bye.

Second Round.—October 7-October 14: St. George v Leichhardt, at Hurstville Oval; Waverley v University, at Waverley No. 1; Balmain v Central Cumberland, at Alexandria; Burwood v Sydney, at Burwood; North Sydney v Redfern, at Redfern; Gordon v Petersham, at Petersham; Middle Harbour v Paddington, S.C.G. No. 2; Glebe v Marrickville, at Marrickville; Newtown v Mosman, at Erskineville; Randwick, bye.

Third Round.—October 21-October 28: St. George v Glebe, at Jubilee Park; Newtown v Middle Harbour, at Erskineville; Mosman v Gordon, at Mosman; Marrickville v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Paddington v Burwood, at Burwood; Petersham v Randwick, at Randwick; Redfern v Balmain, at S.C.G. No. 2; Sydney v Waverley, at Rushcutter Bay; Central Cumberland v University, at Parramatta; Leichhardt, bye.

Fourth Round.—November 4-November 11: St. George v Redfern, at Hurstville; Sydney v Petersham, at Petersham; Central Cumberland v Marrickville, at Marrickville; University v Mosman, at Mosman; Leichhardt v Newtown, at Leichhardt; Waverley v Glebe, at Waverley No. 1; Balmain v Middle Harbour, at Manly; Randwick v Gordon, at Chatswood; Burwood v North Sydney, at Jubilee Park; Paddington, bye.

Fifth Round.—November 18-December 9: Central Cumberland v Sydney, at S.C.G., No. 2; University v Balmain, at University; Leichhardt v Petersham, at Leichhardt; Waverley v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; Balmain v Marrickville, at Birchgrove, No. 1; Randwick v Mosman, at Randwick; Burwood v Newtown, at Alexandria; North Sydney v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Gordon v Middle Harbour, Manly; St. George, bye.

Sixth Round.—December 30-January 6: St. George v Balmain, at Jubilee Park; Randwick v Waverley, at Randwick; Burwood v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; North Sydney v University, at S.C.G., No. 2; Gordon v Central Cumberland, at Chatswood; Glebe v Sydney, at Alexandria; Newtown v Redfern, at Redfern; Mosman v Petersham, at Mosman; Marrickville v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; Middle Harbour, bye.

Seventh Round.—January 13-January 20: St. George v Middle Harbour, at Hurstville; Glebe v Gordon, at Jubilee Park; Newtown v North Sydney, at Erskineville; Mosman v Burwood, at Mosman; Marrickville v Randwick, at Marrickville; Paddington v Balmain, S.C.G., No. 2; Petersham v Waverley, at Waverley No. 1; Redfern v Leichhardt, at Redfern; Sydney v University, at Alexandria; Central Cumberland, bye.

Eighth Round.—February 3-February 10: St. George v Petersham, at Petersham; Redfern v Paddington, at Alexandria; Sydney v Marrickville, at Marrickville; Central Cumberland v Newtown, at S.C.G., No. 2; University v Glebe, at University; Leichhardt v Middle Harbour, at Leichhardt; Waverley v Gordon, at Chatswood; Balmain v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Randwick v Burwood, at Burwood; Mosman, bye.

Ninth Round.—March 2-March 9: St. George v Mosman, at Mosman; Marrickville v Newtown, at Erskineville; Paddington v Glebe, at Hampden Oval; Petersham v Middle Harbour, at Manly; Redfern v Gordon, at Redfern; Sydney v North Sydney, at Rushcutter Bay; Central Cumberland v Randwick, at Parramatta; University v Balmain, Birchgrove, No. 1; Leichhardt v Waverley, at Alexandria; Burwood, bye.

Tenth Round.—March 16-March 23: St. George v Sydney, at Hurstville; C. Cumberland v Petersham, at Alexandria; University v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; Leichhardt v Marrickville, at Leichhardt; Waverley v Mosman, at Waverley, No. 1; Balmain v Newtown, at Erskineville; Randwick v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Burwood v Middle Harbour, at Burwood; North Sydney v Gordon, at North Sydney; Redfern a bye.

Eleventh Round.—March 30-April 13: St. George v Paddington, at Hurstville; Petersham v Marrickville, at Marrickville; Redfern v Mosman, at Mosman; Sydney v Newtown, at Erskineville; C. Cumberland v Middle Harbour, at Manly; University v Gordon, at Alexandria; Leichhardt v North Sydney, at Leichhardt; Waverley v Burwood, at Waverley, No. 1; Balmain v Randwick, at Randwick; Glebe a bye.

Twelfth Round.—April 20-27: St. George v Marrickville, at Hurstville; Paddington v Mosman, at Alexandria; Petersham v Newtown, at Jubilee Park; Redfern v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Sydney v Middle Harbour, at S.C.G., No. 2; C. Cumberland v North Sydney, at North Sydney; University v Burwood, at University; Leichhardt v Randwick, at Randwick; Waverley v Balmain, at Birchgrove, No. 1; Gordon a bye.

THIRD GRADE.

First Round, September 30-October 7.—Marrickville v Glebe, at Marrickville; Paddington v Mosman, at Hampden Oval; Newtown v Balmain, at Birchgrove No. 2; Gordon v C. Cumberland, at Jubilee Park; Petersham v University, at Petersham; Sydney v Redfern, at Rushcutter Bay; Waverley v North Sydney, at Waverley No. 2; Leichhardt v Middle Harbour, at Domain; Randwick v Burwood, at Waterloo Oval; St. George, a bye.

Second Round, October 7-October 14.—Marrickville v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Randwick v Waverley, at Randwick; Burwood v Sydney, at Domain; Middle Harbour v Petersham, at Crescent Oval; North Sydney v Gordon, at North Sydney; Redfern v Newtown, at Birchgrove No. 2; University v Paddington, at University; Balmain v Glebe, at Jubilee Park; Mosman v St. George, at Waverley No. 2; C. Cumberland, a bye.

Third Round.—October 21-October 28.—Marrickville v Balmain, at Marrickville; Mosman v C. Cumberland, at Waverley No. 2; St. George v University, at Hurstville; Glebe v Redfern, at Redfern; Paddington v Middle Harbour, at Manly; Newtown v Burwood, at Alexandria; Gordon v Randwick, at Chatswood; Petersham v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Sydney v Waverley, at Waverley No. 1; North Sydney, a bye.

Fourth Round, November 4-November 11.—Marrickville v Waverley, at Waverley No. 2; Leichhardt v Sydney, at Domain; Randwick v Petersham, at Randwick; Burwood v Gordon, at Alexandria; Middle Harbour v Newtown, at Erskineville; North Sydney v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; University v Glebe, at Crescent Oval; C. Cumberland v St. George, at Parramatta; Balmain v Mosman, at Birchgrove No. 2; Redfern, a bye.

Fifth Round.—November 18-December 9: Marrickville v Sydney, at Marrickville; Waverley v Petersham, at Petersham; Leichhardt v Gordon, at Chatswood; Randwick v Newtown, at Erskineville; Burwood v Paddington, at Burwood; North Sydney v Glebe, at Jubilee Park; Redfern v St. George, at Hurstville; University v Mosman, at Mosman; Central Cumberland v Balmain, at Birchgrove No. 2; Middle Harbour, bye.

Sixth Round.—December 30-January 6: Marrickville v Petersham, at Marrickville; Sydney v Gordon, at Rushcutter Bay; Waverley v Newtown, at Erskineville; Leichhardt v Paddington, at Waverley No. 2; Burwood v Glebe, at Burwood; Middle Harbour v St. George, at Hurstville; North Sydney v Mosman, at North Sydney; Redfern v Balmain, at Birchgrove No. 2; University v Central Cumberland, at Parramatta; Randwick, bye.

Seventh Round.—January 13-January 20: Marrickville v Randwick, at [illegible]; Burwood v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Middle [illegible] v Waverley, at Manly; North Sydney v Sydney, at Domain; Redfern v Petersham, at Waverley No. 2; University v Gordon, at University; Central Cumberland v Newtown, at Parramatta; Balmain v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; St. George v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Mosman, bye.

Eighth Round.—February 3-February 10: Marrickville v University, at Domain; Central Cumberland v Redfern, at Redfern; Balmain v North Sydney, at Birchgrove No. 1; Mosman v Middle Harbour, at Manly; St. George v Burwood, at Hurstville; Glebe v Randwick, at Randwick; Paddington v Waverley, at Waverley, No. 2; Newtown v Sydney, at Erskineville; Gordon v Petersham, at Jubilee Park; Leichhardt, bye.

Ninth Round.—March 2-March 9: Marrickville v Paddington, at Marrickville; Gordon v Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Petersham v St. George, at Hurstville; Sydney v Mosman, at Birchgrove No. 2; Waverley v Balmain, at Waverley No. 1; Leichhardt v Central Cumberland, at Leichhardt; Randwick v University, at University; Burwood v Redfern, at Jubilee Park; Middle Harbour v North Sydney, at North Sydney; Newtown, a bye.

Tenth Round.—March 16-March 23: Marrickville v St. George, at Marrickville; Glebe v Mosman, at Mosman; Paddington v Central Cumberland, at Jubilee Park; Newtown v University, at Birchgrove No. 2; Gordon v Redfern, at Redfern; Petersham v North Sydney, at Petersham; Sydney v Middle Harbour, at Manly; Waverley v Burwood, at Waverley No. 2; Leichhardt v Randwick, at Leichhardt; Balmain, a bye.

Eleventh Round.—March 30-April 13: Marrickville v Gordon, at Chatswood; Petersham v Newtown, at Petersham; Sydney v Paddington, at Hampden Oval; Leichhardt v Glebe, at Jubilee Park; Randwick v St. George, at Waverley No. 2; Burwood v Mosman, at Birchgrove No. 1; Middle Harbour v Balmain, at Birchgrove No. 1; North Sydney v Central Cumberland, at Birchgrove No. 2; Redfern v University, at University; Waverley, a bye.

Twelfth Round.—April 20-April 27: Marrickville v Burwood, at Marrickville; Middle Harbour v Randwick, at Manly; North Sydney v Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Redfern v Waverley, at Waverley No. 2; University v Sydney, at Rushcutter Bay; Central Cumberland v Petersham, at Parramatta; Balmain v Gordon, at Chatswood; Mosman v Newtown, at Mosman; St. George v Paddington, at Domain; Glebe, a bye.

MOORE PARK ASSOCIATION.

The first round of competition matches to be played on Saturday, September 16 and 23, have been drawn as follows:—

A Grade.—Victoria Park v Sydney Junior, Palace Emporium v Tramway B, Ultimo v Tramway A, St. David's v Druids No. 4.

B Grade.—Australian Mattress Mills v Sydney Footballers, Vice Regal v Sydney Soccer, Cigar Employes v Huntley, "Evening News" v Eltham, Harbour Trust v Sydney Junior B, Rozelle Albion a bye.

CITY AND SUBURBAN ASSOCIATION.

Wesley, 201 (Johnston 57, Ross 50, Green 39, E. A. Russell 12, Breakspear 11), beat B. H. Gordon and Co., 21, by 180 runs. The match was played on Crescent Oval. For the winners Ross took seven wickets for eight runs and Johnston three for 9.

THE MEN ON THE DURHAM.

OFFICER'S COMPARISON.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

At the inquiry respecting the complaints made by immigrants,

Ernest John Finlinson, master mariner, chief officer of the Durham, said he had carried immigrants to Queensland before in ships. He had carried coolies to the West Indies. He had taken Spanish, Italian, and mixed immigrants down the coast of Brazil, but he had never seen any of them behave in such a disgraceful manner as did those men on the Durham.

James M'Intyre, purser and chief steward, said that at meal times the place was in an uproar. The passengers snatched one another's food, and the food from out of the stewards' hands.

The inquiry was further adjourned.

THIRTY YEARS OF DISFIGURING ECZEMA CURED.

"Ever since I was a little girl, 30 years ago, I had suffered tortures from eczema in one of its worst forms. The disease runs in my family, and mine was of a most disfiguring kind. The eczema formed in round rings, and then scales all over my face and limbs. I have been smothered from head to foot. I was born in Leamington, which is famous for its sulphur baths and pump waters and one would think that after taking the treatment there regularly as I did the disease would long ago have been cured, but it was not. I attended the —— hospital for years and years, so you will see I gave it a fair trial. Everyone in the town knew of my case. When I was a girl I lived for a short time at Chapeltown, Leeds, and I was treated at a hospital there, but without receiving any benefit. My face was disfigured very badly. A doctor told me that I would never get rid of it. I spent pounds in doctors' bills, and I attended several hospitals, but nothing did me any good.

"Then, one day, an uncle of mine recommended the Cuticura Remedies. He had also been troubled for some years with severe eczema of a different kind, and had tried hundreds of different things, but nothing did him any good until he tried the Cuticura treatment. Now he is entirely cured; he uses Cuticura Soap regularly, and has no sign of eczema. I took his advice, and commenced to take the Cuticura Soap. To my astonishment an improvement at once set in, and my hair, which had been a complete mass of scales and scurf, soon began to look in splendid condition. Then I bought a box of Cuticura Ointment, and this cleared my skin wonderfully. In a few weeks' time all traces of the scaly eruptions had completely disappeared. Now my skin is clear and healthy, and thanks to the Cuticura Remedies I am completely cured of eczema. All my neighbours were astounded; they knew what a sight I was, and the manner of my cure by Cuticura Remedies was nothing short of a marvel. People often ask me how I was cured, and I tell everyone that it was Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. The Cuticura Remedies are worth their weight in gold, and one tablet of Cuticura Soap goes farther than four cakes of cheaper soaps. I shall always keep it in the house, for it has brought happiness into my home." (Signed) Mrs. Butler, 17 Francis-road, The Cotteridge, King's Norton, Birmingham, England, July 21, 1910.

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FUNERALS.

ALEXANDER.—The Friends of Mrs. MARY ALEXANDER are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave her late residence, 19 Playfair-street, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Elizabeth-street, city, Darlinghurst, and Paddington. Tel., Cent. 875.

ALEXANDER.—The Friends of JOSEPH and JOHN ALEXANDER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved MOTHER, Mary; to leave her late residence, 19 Playfair-street, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Elizabeth-street, city, and all suburbs. Tel., Cent. 875.

ALEXANDER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE DAVIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved AUNT, Mary Alexander; to leave her late residence, 19 Playfair-street, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Eliz.-st, city, also Petersham. T., Cent. 875.

ALEXANDER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES MAHONY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved AUNT, Mary Alexander; to leave her late residence, 19 Playfair-street, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Elizabeth-street, city, and all suburbs. Tel., Cent. 875.

THE Friends of JOHN and JAMES McCONNELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved AUNT, Mary; to move from No. 19 Playfair-street, Miller's Point, THIS DAY, Thursday, at half-past 1, for Rookwood Cemetery.

THE Friends of the late Mr. COSTELLO are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave Strathmore, Kundibar-street, Katoomba, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Katoomba Cemetery.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Miss MARGARET DAVIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved MOTHER, Hannah Maria Davis, which will leave her late residence, 97 Commonwealth-street, city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors, Sydney and Suburbs. Phone, 726 Central, etc.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. DAVID SCOTT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FRIEND, Mrs. Hannah Maria Davis; to leave her late residence, 97 Commonwealth-street, city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. WARD are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FRIEND, Mrs. Hannah Maria Davis, which will leave her late residence, 97 Commonwealth-street, city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, 'Phone, 726 Central. Funeral Directors.

DILLON.—The Friends of the late Alderman JAMES DILLON (ex-Mayor of Paddington) are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, Arcadia, 76 Liverpool-street, Paddington, THIS THURSDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley R.C. Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA, Funeral Director, Head Office, 116 Oxford-street, city. Tel., 902 Central.

DILLON.—The Friends of Alderman R. D. MEAGHER, M.L.A., are invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved UNCLE, Alderman James Dillon; to leave Arcadia, Liverpool-street, Paddington, THIS THURSDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA, 61 Oxford-street, Paddington.

FOGARTY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE FOGARTY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved Infant DAUGHTER, Mary Veronica; to leave their residence, 32 Botany-street, Redfern, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY, Head Office and Mortuary Chambers, 472-484 Harris-st.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of Mr. JOHN GALLOWAY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Frances; to leave her late residence, No. 3 Milk-street, Surry Hills, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
T. DIXON, Undertaker, Oxford and Crown streets, city; and Military-road, Mosman. 'Phone, 413 Pad. 278 Mos.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of Mr. JOHN COONEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved DAUGHTER, Frances; to leave her late residence, No. 3 Milk-street, Surry Hills, on FRIDAY, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
T. DIXON, Undertaker, Military-road, Mosman.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PATRICK MOORE (of Mittagong) are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved NIECE, Frances Galloway; to leave her late residence, 3 Milk-street, on Friday, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
T. DIXON, Undertaker, Oxford and Crown sts, city.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of PATRICK, WILLIAM, CHARLES, and JAMES COONEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved NIECE, Frances Galloway; to leave her late residence, 3 Milk-street, Surry Hills, on FRIDAY, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. T. DIXON, Undertaker.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HARRY CADWELL, Mr. and Mrs. PATRICK MORAN, and Mr. and Mrs. JAMES CONNELLY, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved COUSIN, Frances Galloway; to leave 3 Milk-street, on FRIDAY, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.

GALLOWAY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE GALLOWAY and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved DAUGHTER-IN-LAW and SISTER-IN-LAW, Frances Galloway; to leave 2 Milk-street, Surry Hills, on FRIDAY, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. T. DIXON, Undertaker.

HALCROW.—The Friends of Captain E. HALCROW and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE and their MOTHER, Marion Jane Halcrow; to move from her late residence, Hassall-street, Parramatta, THIS THURSDAY, at 2.30, for the Western-road Cemetery, Parramatta.
W. METCALFE and CO., Parramatta. Tel., 99.

HALCROW.—The Friends of A. S. HALCROW, of Stanmore, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, Fladadester, Hassall-street, Parramatta, THIS DAY, 2.30 p.m., for Western-road Cemetery.
WILLIAM METCALF, Undertaker, Parramatta.

HANDEL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. HANDEL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Richard Sydney; to leave their residence, 101 Gowrie-street, Newtown, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, to Holy Trinity Church, Toogood-street, Erskineville, thence to C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown Station.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker, King and Brown streets, Newtown; and Railway-parade, Kogarah. Tel., 184 N.

HOCKERDAY.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM HOCKERDAY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Mary Ann; to move from our Funeral Parlours, 10 Castlereagh-street, city, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Elizabeth-street, city. Tel., 875 C.

HOCKERDAY.—The Friends of Mrs. BENJAMIN LITHGO and FAMILY, of Burwood, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, and their SISTER, Mary Ann Hockerday; to move from our Funeral Parlours, 10 Castlereagh-st, city, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, 1.30, Rookwood. Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Eliz.-st, city, and all Suburbs. Tel., 875 C.

LARKIN.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ROSE LARKIN are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will move from her late residence, 87 George-street, Camperdown, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Rookwood Cemetery, via Mortuary Station.
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LARKIN.—The Friends of Messrs. JAMES, THOMAS, MICHAEL, JOSEPH, and MAURICE LARKIN and Mrs. C. J. McCOSKER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Rose Larkin, which will move from her late residence, 87 George-street, Camperdown, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Rookwood Cemetery.
W. N. BULL, Funeral Director.

LYNOTT.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES LYNOTT, of Wellbank-road, Concord, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved MOTHER; to leave Spencer-street, Five Dock, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for the Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood Station.
COFFILL and COMPANY, Funeral Directors, Tel., 143 Burwood. Railway-parade, Burwood.

O'CONNELL.—The Friends of the late Mr. DANIEL O'CONNELL, late of Aurora Hotel, Elizabeth-street, city, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 91 Abercrombie-street, city, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. P. BYRNES and CO., Undertakers, 185 Geo.-st. West. T., 208 Glebe.

O'CONNELL.—Irish National Foresters' Benefit Society, William O'Brien Branch (St. Benedict's).—Officers and Members are requested to attend the Funeral of the late Bro. DANIEL O'CONNELL; to move from 91 Abercrombie-street, city, THIS DAY, 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood. G. Harkins, C.R.; R. Colbourne, Sec.

PAULL.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ELIZABETH PAULL are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her late residence, Lang-street, Croydon, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for the C.E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood Station.
COFFILL and COMPANY, Railway-parade, Burwood. Tel., 143 B.

PAYTEN.—The Friends of Mrs. EDITH PAYTEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, James; to move from his sister's residence, Bowral-road, Kensington, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Randwick Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., Funeral Directors.

PAYTEN.—The Friends of THOMAS and MARTIN PAYTEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, James; to move from his sister's residence, Bowral-road, Kensington, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Randwick Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst.

PAYTEN.—The Friends of SYDNEY and ERNEST ROWELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, James; to move from his sister's residence, Bowral-road, Kensington, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Randwick Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., Funeral Directors, 7 Elizabeth-street, city. Tel., 875 C.

RUGG.—The Friends of Mrs. LEAH RUGG are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND, Ernest; to leave our Mortuary Chambers, 484 Harris-street, Ultimo, TOMORROW (Friday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for the C.E. Cemetery, Rookwood.
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WALES.—The Funeral of the late Captain HARRY HOLMES WALES will leave our Mortuary Chapel, 810-2 George-street, Sydney, THIS (Thursday) MORNING, at 8.45 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors. 'Phone, 726 Central, etc.

WHOLOHAN.—The Friends of the late CATHERINE MARY WHOLOHAN are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her late residence, St. Marys, THIS DAY (Thursday), at 11 a.m., for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Greendale. JOHN PRICE and SON, Funeral Directors, Penrith. 'Phone, 20.

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MEETINGS.

ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—The General MEETING of the above will be held at the Society's Rooms, 5 Elizabeth-street, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, the 14th inst. Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock sharp. Business: 1. Ballot for new members. 2. Appointment of auditors to audit the accounts for the session ending September 30, 1911. 3. Appointment of scrutineers for ballot of officers and council for the ensuing session. 4. Paper to be read by Professor S. H. Barraclough on "Boiler Explosions as Affected by Unsymmetrical Riveted Joints." Part I.: "Typical Lap Joint Boiler Explosions," by S. H. Barraclough and A. J. Gibson. Part II.: "An Experimental Investigation of the Strains in Unsymmetrical Riveted Joints," by S. H. Barraclough, A. J. Gibson, H. W. May, and E. P. Norman. Illustrated by Diagrams, Models, and Lantern Slides.
W. HOSKING, Secretary.

WATER AND SEWERAGE EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION.—A Meeting of the above will be held in Room 25, Trades Hall, Goulburn-street, at 8 p.m., on Thursday, 14th September. Business: To receive suggestions for inclusion in agenda papers for Interstate Labour Conference. W. Macpherson, Secretary.

ANNANDALE Electorate Branch of the Liberal Association of N.S.W. meets, Shannon's Hall, P'matta and Percival roads, P'sham, This Evening, at 8. Address by Mr. B. C. Walmsley. Lds. cordially invited.

GENERAL GORDON, 204, L.O.L., meets To-night, 7.30. Lecture by Bro. T. Jessep. Visitors invited.

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FAT (Kitchen) Bought. Tel., 494 Newtown. Cart call. Stuart, late Castle, 121 King-st, Newtown.

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WTD. to Purchase, Second-hand Dey Time Recorder for 50 employees. Employer, Herald Office.

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WANTED to Purchase, Swage Block, about 5in deep. Spratt, blacksmith, Kendall-st, Whra. T., 382 Wav.

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HIGHEST Prices Oil Drums, Casks, Vats, Tins, Lead, Zinc, Metals, Bags. 70 Marlborough-st, S.H.

WANTED, second-hand Camping Outfit or Tent Fly. Jack, Herald Office, King-st branch.

WANTED, sec.-hand Punching Ball, with Platform, cheap. Apply C. L. H., 164 Palmer-st, city.

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WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS, BUY WHOLE BOTTLES.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

OUR STATE SYSTEM.

MUNICIPALISM AT WORK.

PERSONAL LIABILITY OF ALDERMEN.

A correspondent, "Reg. 4," desires to know the provisions of the Local Government law relating to the personal liability of aldermen in regard to borrowing. The Act says: "If a council borrows any money which the council as a body is not legally bound to repay, all the members of such council who have consented to such borrowing shall be jointly and severally (that is, all of them together, or any one of them separately) liable to repay such money and all interest thereon to the person from whom the same was borrowed at the time, and in the manner provided in the instrument or agreement under which the money was borrowed; and the same may be recovered from such members, or any of them, in any court of competent jurisdiction. If any appropriation of the money of a council is made for the purpose of repaying any money so borrowed, and which the council, as the body corporate of the area, is not bound to repay, the members of the council who have consented to such appropriation shall thereupon be jointly and severally liable to refund the same, with interest, etc.," and any ratepayer, elector, or creditor, can sue them on behalf of the council for the refund of such money. The provisions of personal liability are so well understood now (though somewhat misunderstood at the first working of the Act) that there is very little probability of mistakes being made. Legal advice is usually taken, and councils act upon such advice in perfect safety.

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THE COUNCILS AND THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

A criticism appeared in this column on August 10 which, in one part, said that the Marrickville Council had reasonable cause of complaint (in regard to a conflict between them and the Board of Health regarding the question of building on unsuitable land) that the Board of Health did not notify the council, from the commencement, of its proceedings, and of any steps taken in the area by the board's officers. Upon this Mr. W. G. Hoole, sanitary inspector at Broken Hill, comments:—

In your local government column of August 10 I notice a paragraph re Marrickville and public health. Although I do not know the details of this particular case, I would like to express an opinion as follows:—Where a qualified inspector is employed, and the Board of Health pays a moiety of his salary, he is in reality a Board of Health officer, and it is a sanitary inspector's duty to the general public to report to his council on any land he considers unsuitable for building purposes, and ask the council to ask the Board of Health to have the land closed against building purposes. The Board of Health will then cause their m.o.h. to inspect and inquire into the matter, and if the land is unsuitable it will be closed. So if the land in question is closed without the local authority knowing of the matter it must be through their own negligence by not knowing themselves that it was unsuitable, and reporting the matter forthwith. The local authority, if they wish to protect the public health, should administer the Public Health Act accordingly (see part VI.).

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VANDALISM IN PARKS.

A correspondent, signing himself "Aedile," writes as follows:—

Before the arrival of the American fleet in Sydney attention was directed in the press to the mutilation of statues in the Centennial Park, with the result that the nose of President Lincoln, which had been broken, was neatly repaired, but nothing was done to mend the various symbolical figures representing arts and industries. Since then these figures have been further damaged by the mischievous, and also by the weather. Money is being spent liberally on flower beds in the park, also in planting new trees and shrubs, some of the latter strangely being placed so as to further limit the comparatively small space available for military evolutions. But surely there should be some means forthcoming either to put the statues in order or remove them altogether, if hopelessly damaged.
In the adjoining Queen's Park, the existence of whose fine area few Sydney people seem to be aware of, the seats placed for visitors are being steadily denuded of their planks, till now many are unfit to rest upon. This park has never been completed, the wall being erected only on part of the south and west sides. Probably some regard it as a no man's land, whence the public are at liberty to remove anything they may desire. The Queen's Park should be properly delimited, and put under control of a caretaker. At present one might infer that at the eastern suburbs had more park space than was necessary.

Probably, now that the matter has been thus publicly drawn attention to, the Government authorities who exercise jurisdiction over Centennial Park will have these matters attended to. The suburban councils whose territories are contiguous to the Queen's and the Centennial Park should make representations in the right quarter—if they can discover which is the right quarter—in order that these splendid open spaces may not be neglected.

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RIGHTS OF HIGHWAY.

An important decision was delivered by Mr. Justice Rich, which is reported in the "Weekly Notes" of September 5, 1911, dealing with the question of highways. He held that "the existence of a clean certificate of title under the Real Property Act does not prevent the dedication of the whole or any part of the land comprised therein as a public highway; and although the transferee from a registered proprietor is not affected by notice direct or constructive of any trust or unregistered interest, he is nevertheless subject to any public rights of highway that may exist on the land comprised in the certificate of title, whether the highway be indicated thereon or not." This establishes the important principle "once a highway always a highway." Doubtless the judgment will be perused with interest by many country municipalities and shires.

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OUTSTANDING RATES.

Another council must be commended for its attitude in regard to the collection of outstanding rates. This time it is Willoughby. A report sent to the Mayor of Willoughby by the council clerk, Mr. A. A. C. Bastian, shows that the amount of rates outstanding on the first of January of this year was £1402 12s 5d; and of this sum £854 has been collected. The diligence of this council in endeavouring to get in the rates has been continued over a series of years. In 1900 the outstanding rates amounted to £1602. Since that time, as the report of the council clerk shows, about £75,000 has been collected; so that the arrears of rates are £1054 better than they were 11 years ago. The amount outstanding on August 14 was £548 11s 11d; and with further diligence this amount ought soon to be collected.

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A GENUINE GRIEVANCE.

An "Aggrieved Ratepayer" sends along what appears to be a genuine complaint of unfair treatment by a municipality. He writes:—

Being an aggrieved ratepayer of the municipality of Rockdale, I made an appeal against the valuation of land situated in the above municipality. The valuator at the Friendly Appeal Court consented to the reduction of the valuation. I also signed the consent at the court appeal held at the Rockdale Town Hall lately, the magistrate presiding; also confirmed in writing the valuator's reduced value.
In the meantime I had paid the amount of the council's valuation in full, according to the ratepaper, having in my mind the thought that on appeal (if any reduction was made by the Court) the difference in the amount paid in advance would be refunded, which principle was always carried out by the Land Tax Department, but to my chagrin when I made application to the council clerk for a refund of the amount I had overpaid he pointedly told me that the council had disallowed my appeal because I had paid my rates in advance. Surely if this is justice the sooner the Local Government Act is amended the better, so that ratepayers could be notified that if they pay any moneys in advance there will be no refunds in case of successful appeals. Hoping to see your authority's decision of the above.

If the facts are correctly stated, the decision of the council might be described as distinctly unfair, and subversive of the principle established in the friendly courts. This correspondent will see that this is not a matter for the amendment of the Local Government Act, but more a matter for a change of heart on the part of the aldermen of this particular council. It may be that this aggrieved ratepayer has a right of action for the recovery of the excess of the amount actually paid over the amount fixed by the magistrate. He should consult a solicitor on the matter.

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A DUST-PREVENTER.

In England recently trials have been made with a new method of dust-prevention, and it may be that a trial of such a method would yield good results here. The evil is such that every reasonable suggestion which is brought forward is worthy of an actual trial on the roads. This is a matter with respect to which knowledge can only be gained by experiment. The new method is to treat the road surface with a coating of calcium chloride. Most persons know the nature of calcium carbide, which is used in making acetylene gas, and will have observed how readily it becomes damp if left exposed to the air. This dampness arises from a quality which it has of absorbing moisture from the atmosphere. Calcium chloride is a different compound, but it has the same quality of extracting moisture from the air, and of keeping damp for a long while if left exposed to the air. The new treatment for preventing dust is to lightly sprinkle the calcium chloride and water on the roads with the ordinary watering cart. The action of the chloride is to retain the moisture for a long time, and to attract moisture from the atmosphere, so that it will keep the road surface slightly damp for a comparatively long time. The water-carts do not need to make so many trips over the roads, nor do they require to spread so large a quantity of water, so that against the cost of calcium chloride there are offset the saving of carting and the saving of water, and at the same time far better results in dust-prevention are secured, and the watering of the roads has less effect in creating fresh dust.

CLEAN AND NON-ODOROUS.

Another method which is adopted is that of spreading the calcium chloride in small granular lumps evenly over the surface of the road, at the rate of about 1lb of chloride to one square yard of road. This should be done in the same way as we see the City Council's men spreading sand over the wood blocks on a wet day. The chloride thus spread over the roads in the evening will take up water from the atmosphere during the night, and the next day the road will be found to be slightly damp and quite dustless. This method of applying the chloride appears likely to give even better results than sprinkling it on the roads dissolved in water. The people who live along Parramatta-road, the Old South Head-road, Cook's River-road, calcium chloride is clean and non-odorous—ways, would appreciate the efforts of their council if some effort were made to test the value of this method of dust treatment. The calciumchloride is clean and non-odorous—indeed there are no drawbacks to its use.

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INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

It is a tribute to the precautionary measures of the health authorities that there were no cases of plague notified in the metropolis last year. A reassuring feature of the report shows that the dairies are not such large contributors to the spread of infectious disease as in previous periods. Dr. Armstrong says as to scarlet fever (of which there were 394 cases notified in the metropolitan area in the year) that one case was notified during the year on dairy premises; but no occasion arose to suspect any milk supply of having spread the infection. As to diphtheria (2109 cases notified), 16 cases only were notified on dairy premises. Twelve persons were infected from one dairy, and the outbreak was discovered to have originated from an employee and a child (a relative of the dairy proprietor). This case shows the necessity for the strictest supervision of dairies, for neither the man nor the child showed any outward symptoms of disease, and it was only when the throats of all the employees were "swabbed" and cultures obtained that the persons who were unconsciously infecting the milk were discovered. Isolation of the infective agents and drastic cleansing of the dairy were resorted to instantly. Again, as to typhoid (812 cases notified), a milk-carter developed the disease in a suburban area; and while there were no other cases of employees in this dairy, eight customers of the dairy, in six different houses (but not served by this carter), were infected. The doctor's report significantly adds: "In these six dwellings it was customary to drink unboiled milk." At the same time, the absolute connection of the outbreak with the dairy was not made out. The report shows that at any rate in the metropolitan area the progress in public health administration has been steady and satisfactory.

FEDERAL HARNESS FACTORY.

OPENED BY MINISTER.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

This morning the Minister for Defence officially opened the Commonwealth Government's harness factory at Clifton Hill.

In the course of a speech, Senator Pearce said that it was an indication of the rapid development of the Commonwealth enterprise in regard to defence. For some time difficulties had been found in regard to the supply of equipment by the contractors for the troops. There were certain objections and certain practices that came to light from time to time that rendered inspection absolutely necessary. While the great majority of contractors, he was happy to say, were honest, and endeavoured to do the square thing, there had to be inspectors to keep a lookout for the dishonest contractors. With factories like the one just opened, the Government hoped to be able to supply the Defence Department with good material made by the best workmanship, and under conditions that would be fair to all. (Hear, hear.) Many people objected to the establishment of Commonwealth factories. They said it was socialism. The meaning of the word was now known, and they were not so scared as formerly. The Government was entering on this work on economical lines; and hoped to demonstrate that the work could be done well. The success or failure of the factory lay, to a great extent, with the employees themselves. They were not asked for anything more than a fair return to their employers; the Commonwealth taxpayers.

HARBOUR TRAFFIC.

FOUR NEW FERRY STEAMERS.

KIANDRA'S SUCCESSFUL TRIAL.

The taking over yesterday by the Sydney Ferries, Limited, of the new steamer Kiandra (of the Kirrule type), which is intended for the new Cremorne service, was an event of importance between the builders and the Sydney Ferries, Limited. Those employees who took part in the speed trial over the measured mile (between Fort Denison and Bradley's Head) were invited also to join in the celebration of what proved to be a complete success. The vessel, which is to carry 1050 passengers, averaged over thirteen knots, all the machinery moving with clockwork precision.

The Kiandra was built from designs prepared by the company's draughtsman, Mr. J. Barter, under the supervision of the works manager, Mr. T. Brown. The length over all is 155 feet; the length to outside of rudder posts is 140 feet; the length to outside of propeller posts is 128 feet; the beam extreme over belting is 32 feet 8 inches; the beam moulded is 29 feet 6 inches; and the depth moulded is 10 feet 10 inches. The hull and deck fittings were built by Messrs. J. F. Morrison and Sinclair, of Balmain, and the engines and boilers by Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, Ltd. The engines are of the triple compound direct acting surface condensing type, to indicate 670-h.p., with three cylinders, 14 inches x 22½ inches x 37 inches, length of stroke 21 inches; with two through multitubular cylindrical boilers 7 feet 7½ inches external diameter by 18 feet 7½ inches long. The electric light installation is by W. G. Watson and Co., Ltd., of Clarence-street.

As a further indication of how the directors of the Sydney Ferries, Ltd., are preparing to cope with the rapidly-increasing traffic, the fact might be recalled that there are three more steamers of the same type now in course of construction, namely, a wooden vessel (No. 42)—being built by Messrs. T. F. Morrison and Sinclair—and two of steel—being constructed by Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, Ltd. (Nos. 43 and 44).

The Kosciusko, a new steamer of the Kanimbla type (No. 41), is expected to be completed in about three weeks. The hull and deck fittings are being constructed by Mr. David Drake, of Balmain; the engines are being built by Messrs. Chapman and Co., Ltd., Sydney; and the electric light is being installed by Mr. T. K. Steanes.

ALLEGED SHOOTING.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Frederick William Nobel was charged at the Seymour Police Court to-day with having unlawfully and maliciously wounded, by means of a gun, Charles Dennis.

The charge arose out of the shooting case at Travool yesterday. Accused was remanded until Monday.

DR. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY quickly relieves Quinsy, Sore Throat, and other allied troubles. Price, 1/6 and 2/.—Advt.

Woods' Great Peppermint Cure for Coughs and Colds never fails. 1s 6d.—Advt.

THE THIRD LINE.

12,315 EFFICIENTS.

SPLENDID MUSKETRY RECORD.

SCHEME WORKS EXCELLENTLY.

In New South Wales to-day there are 13,108 civilian riflemen enrolled in what is called the "third line of defence." Of this number no less than 12,315 have this year been returned as "efficient." This is by far the best record ever shown by the rifle clubs of this or any State in the Commonwealth.

Being efficient does not mean that the rifleman so classed could pink the "bully" every time at a thousand yards. But it does mean that every one of the 12,315 has gone through a stiff musketry course, and could render a good account of himself if called upon to help defend Australia.

Out of the army of efficients 3254 are expert marksmen.

Last year's record was better than that of any previous year, showing 90 per cent. efficient out of a total of 12,835. But this year, with a larger total, the efficiency percentage has risen to a shade under 94.

The position is now far more satisfactory than it was in 1908-9, when the total enrolment was 16,118. But then nearly 6000 were returned as "not exercised," and the State Commandant decided to have struck off all the clubs which did not carry out their training obligations. A judicious pruning resulted in a decreased membership, but a far more efficient army of riflemen.

During the past year there were 306 clubs in the State, and these were put through the new musketry course. It will be noticed that the course is divided into H and B. The A is the elementary course, and B the final. Those riflemen who score over 150 points in the B table are classed as marksmen, and those scoring from 130 to 150 are registered as first-class shots. Of the 13,108 riflemen in the State 11,906 have gone through the A table, and of these 6702 have also completed the B table. Out of the 5206 who did the A table only 2226 were returned as first grade, and 2950 as second grade. Out of the 6702 who completed the B table 3254 are marksmen, 2113 first-class shots, 858 second-marksmen, and 477 third-class. Only 793 were returned as inefficient.

The following table shows how the inefficients have been reduced almost to the vanishing point, while the efficient riflemen have been increasing in numbers, and now form an important wing of the defence army.

COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS YEARS.

Year.	No. on Roll.	Exercised.	Not Exercised.	Total Efficients.
1905	5,317	4,193	1,124	4,114
1906	8,431	5,883	2,548	5,755
1907	10,827	6,850	3,977	6,039
1908	13,357	8,361	5,036	8,204
1909	16,118	10,177	5,941	10,343
1910	12,835	11,085	1,750	11,263
1911	13,108	11,908	1,200	12,315

Of the 1200 this year not exercised only 793 were returned as inefficient.

THE DISTRICT CHAMPIONS.

The State is divided into 13 districts. The following are this year's district champions, with their scores:—

District.	Champion.	Club.	Score.
Metropolitan	Young, W. C.	G'ville T. Coll.	190
Hunter River	Jines, H. C.	Adamstown	187
Southern	Deudney, C.	Araluen	187
Western	Walsh, J. E.	Peak Hill	186
South Coast	Griffiths, P. O.	Kiama	190
New England	Fulmer, J.	Boggabri	190
Mudgee	Gentle, G. A.	Mudgee	183
Far Western	Shelswell, W. H.	Warren	181
Riverina	Jones, R. C.	Deniliquin	190
Far South Coast	Otton, F.H.	Bega	186
Macleay	Rowling, E. L.	Wingham	190
Richmond-Tweed	Gall, R.	Nimbin	186
Barrier	Correll, J. J.	Broken H. W.	184

STATE CHAMPION.

It will be noted that four riflemen have scored the possible 190 in the club musketry course. These are W. C. Young, J. Fulmer, R. C. Jones, and E. L. Rowling. These four will shoot off at Randwick on October 5 for the honour of State champion.

T. D. Sherban, of the Military Rifle Club's Office, has collected the reports from all the rifle clubs in the State. These have been condensed and tabulated as under:—

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

RIFLE CLUBS.

MUSKETRY REPORT FOR YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1911.

Club.	No. on roll.	Exercised A	Exercised B	Marksmen.	1st-class shot.	Club champion.	Score.
Aberdeen	33	8	25	10	13	A. Schroter	184
Adaminaby	31	5	26	16	8	J. Waddell	168
Adamstown	62	12	48	35	8	H. C. Jones	189
Adelong	39	17	22	1	19	B. Purcell	157
Albion Park	31	13	18	10	3	T. A. Bateman	185
Albury	87	7	80	45	28	O. A. Hellman	175
Alstonville	31	31	—	—	—	Elementary	—
A.M.P.	41	17	23	7	8	J. Blumer	167
A.N.A. (N.S.W.)	34	23	11	5	6	C. J. Robden	176
A.N.A. (N'castle)	38	32	6	1	4	T. J. Cottier	168
Anson (Norfolk Island)	15	—	—	—	—	No musketry	—
Araluen	35	8	27	16	10	C. Deudney	187
Armidale	53	25	18	10	5	G. F. Allman	182
Ashford	33	13	20	8	10	W. E. Phifer	160
Auburn	32	14	18	10	8	P. Const. O. Campbell	171
Adjungbilly	32	27	5	1	4	H. J. Last	160
Binnaway	44	—	—	—	—	New club	—
Bimbella	—	—	—	—	—	New club	—
Ballina	37	—	37	6	16	G. R. M'Culloch	173
Balranald	18	8	10	4	3	T. E. Bartlett	153
Bangalow	35	20	14	10	2	G. Whittaker	171
Barmedman	72	46	—	—	—	Elementary	—
Barraba	39	11	28	9	17	A. E. Osborne	183
Barrier Y.M.C.A.	38	12	26	13	13	A. E. Dunn	176
Bathurst	88	5	82	24	18	A. Cutler	180
Bega	53	33	20	16	4	F. H. Otton	186
Berridale	34	16	18	11	6	E. Vernon	172
Berry	36	17	19	5	10	A. Miller	163
Bethungra	34	10	22	2	13	A. Foster	168
Bethungra Pk.	31	8	23	7	13	S. J. Kanseley	173
Bellinger R.	51	—	—	—	—	Club disband	—
Bigga	38	31	7	7	—	R. E. Picker	179
Billinudgel	33	1	32	14	17	W. Knillands	180
Binalong	45	45	—	—	—	Elementary	—
Binda	33	25	8	—	4	W. F. Fraser	140
Bingara	31	19	12	2	9	P. M'Cosker	150
Blackheath	30	4	26	9	12	H. R. Neate	170
Blayney	34	16	24	21	3	A. H. Ison	182
Bodangora	29	2	10	4	4	T. Kelly	154
Bombala	63	18	44	7	21	W. G. Tweedie	171
Boolaroo	47	8	39	21	10	J. E. Price	141
Bourke	42	2	40	8	10	V. G. Manning	154
Bowna	36	23	13	7	4	M. Daley	180
Bowra	48	21	17	15	2	W. H. Sheridan	183
Braidwood	35	17	18	3	10	F. Le Maitre	181
Brewarrina	31	15	16	16	—	Capt. J. B. Scobie	169
Broken Hill	76	35	41	25	9	T. F. Kellett	179
Brungle	28	—	28	8	7	H. C. Hill	179
Buddigower	12	4	8	5	3	W. B. Manning	163
Bumberry	45	24	21	13	8	W. A. Day	176
Bungendore	30	11	19	7	12	J. A. Edmonds	164
Bungonia	24	9	25	19	2	H. L. Broadhead	180
Burringbar	34	11	23	12	8	A. H. Ehlefeldt	170
Burrowa	31	6	25	12	6	W. D. Mason	170
Byron Bay	38	10	28	24	4	F. Shrubb	174
Boggabri	61	60	1	1	—	J. Fulmer	190
Batlow	47	46	1	1	—	J. H. Hubbard	161
Berrigan	49	47	—	—	—	Elementary course only	
Belmore	39	38	—	—	—	Elementary course only.	
Burrawang	33	11	22	14	6	W. Gardiner	178
Camden	34	15	19	8	7	J. Pinkerton	169
Camira	29	29	—	—	—	Elementary course only	
Campbelltown	45	27	18	9	6	G. L. Marlow	161
Candelo	31	21	10	4	4	S. T. Morton	180
Cape Hawke	33	—	—	—	—	No musketry.	
Cargo	55	26	26	1	8	R. Bosden	150
Casino	39	25	14	6	6	W. F. Hattersley	181
Central Tilba	38	17	21	7	8	H. J. Bate	172
Cessnock	90	5	85	63	20	J. Kirk	186
Clyde Engineer. Works	22	5	27	23	4	J. Hands	171
Coburgo	54	54	—	—	—	Elementary.	
Cobar	89	—	—	—	—	No range.	
Cobbora	43	14	26	15	9	T. T. P. Austin	176
Coff's Harb.	41	15	26	10	8	W. Neuhaus	177
Collector	43	18	25	19	6	G. Betts	178
Comara	29	13	16	4	10	H. D. Toose	155
Condobolin	51	18	18	3	6	W. M. Smyth	168
Coolac	50	21	26	16	10	H. J. Back	169
Coolah	27	—	—	—	—	No musketry.	
Coolamon	31	13	18	3	8	H. Chant	159
Cooma	40	20	20	5	8	J. A. Feilen	168
C'nabarabran	50	33	23	3	14	D. Hagan	159
Cootamundra	35	21	14	12	2	Jno. Young	176
Coraki	19	7	12	1	5	D. Mc. Dolby	165
Corodale	31	—	30	21	6	Jas. Gibson	175
Crookwell	27	7	12	7	5	J. Gilby	175
Coonamble	59	22	17	6	4	G. E. Belle	178
Cudal	32	17	15	7	2	M. W. Irvine	170
C. Cumberland	47	—	—	—	—	No range	
Canbelego	64	64	—	—	—	Elem. course only	
Concord	42	—	—	—	—	No range	
Chatsworth Is.	—	—	—	—	—	New club	
Carcoar	42	—	—	—	—	New club	
Dalgety	45	42	—	—	—	Elem. course only	
Dapto	38	18	17	12	4	Wm. Mark	175
Delegate	38	9	29	21	5	S. Martin	177
Deniliquin	38	9	27	17	7	R. C. Jones	190
Denman	40	40	—	—	—	Elem. course only	
Dinton Vale	24	—	24	15	7	F. C. Asimus	175
Dorrigo	40	—	—	—	—	Club disband.	
Dubbo	64	24	40	10	12	S. J. Stroud	170
Dungog	31	23	8	—	1	L. J. Carmody	133
Dunoon	30	—	30	13	8	E. Strong	174
East. Suburbs	43	—	43	33	5	A. W. M'Callum	165
Eden and Twofold Bay	49	—	—	—	—	No musketry	
Eltham	31	12	19	6	6	C. H. Furneyvall	161
Em'ville Dist.	31	8	23	8	8	E. Thorncroft	178
Eugowra	45	26	19	6	7	H. Thorncroft	174
Euchareena	—	—	—	—	—	New club	—
Finley	28	—	—	—	—	No range	—
Forbes	27	—	—	—	—	No range	—
Forest Reefs	30	11	19	12	6	E. G. Streatfield	179
Gerringong	58	30	23	19	9	W. Sharpe	180
Geurie	44	33	11	11	5	A. V. Todhunter	166
Gilgandra	58	—	51	24	15	A. F. Fitzhardinge	185
Gladesville-Balmain	54	—	51	8	11	R. Somers	176
Glen Innes	70	—	70	26	28	O. E. Cooper	175
Gollan	24	—	—	—	—	No musketry	
Goolma	49	—	—	—	—	No musketry	—
Goulb. Railway Ambul.	130	—	130	36	43	W. Furnell	181
Goulburn	88	—	88	60	24	A. W. Ball	177
Grafton	40	19	21	17	3	W. J. Strauss	178
Granville Technical Col.	42	—	42	23	17	W. C. Young	190
Grattai	28	12	26	12	13	E. R. Reeves	171
Greenthorpe	36	14	22	9	8	C. Perceval	180
Grenfell	47	11	36	3	16	F. Prusing	166
Gulgong	37	—	—	—	—	No range avail.	
Gundagai	43	17	25	13	6	J. Worldon	188
Gunnedah	62	18	45	34	11	D. Sims	175
Gunning	51	27	20	7	7	L. Noble	160
Guy Fawkes	35	15	16	13	2	F. G. Waugh	171
Gulargambone	32	—	—	—	—	No musketry	
Hargraves	51	21	30	17	9	W. B. Suttor	176
Hastings River	31	15	16	—	13	W. Staples	148
Hawkesbury Agri. Col.	111	60	58	31	11	R. M. Arthur	184
Hay	28	9	19	8	9	R. Hill	183
Henty	34	16	16	7	6	W. Patterson	182
Hill End	32	6	20	14	11	L. Everitt	174
Hillgrove	55	4	48	13	13	M. O'Connor	169
Hornsby	33	12	19	11	5	C. W. Rhodes	177
Illewong	65	35	30	13	13	M. H. Martin	17[illegible]
Inverell	54	20	33	21	7	H. E. Moore	18[illegible]
Jamberoo	37	5	32	24	8	T. Walker	179
Jerilderie	39	16	23	6	12	L. C. Machin	166
Jerrara	58	24	30	10	7	M. J. Frost	170
John Sands, Ld	16	13	3	—	1	A. Lett	142
Junee	66	14	52	45	—	D. M'Ulster	186
Katoomba	59	10	48	4	33	G. Crawshaw	156
Kempsey	51	27	24	13	9	J. Chalmers	178
Kiama	36	1	34	17	15	P. Griffiths	180
Koorawatha	29	3	26	6	17	E. H. Kupe	186
Kurri Kurri	54	7	47	9	18	R. W. Notley	159
Kyogle	21	11	9	7	2	G. E. Thorn	180
Kelvin						New club	
Lake Cudgellico	31	21	10	3	5	Con. Murphy	165
Lands Dept.	79	45	33	14	9	E. S. Vautin	181
Lansdowne	50	25	25	4	7	A. J. Minett	177
Lawson	32	19	13	5	4	F. T. Adams	172
Leadville	34	9	25	13	7	A. Yeo	175
Lismore	35	—	35	23	13	J. Carson	174
Lismore R'way	50	20	30	16	5	A. R. Stevenson	172
Lithgow	124	45	79	35	27	G. Fitzgerald	178
Little Plain	55	30	25	6	11	G. R. Leonard	170
Lockhart	27	20	7	—	3	R. Crisp	143
Lower Manning	42	14	28	17	2	E. R. Evenden	179
Lynch's Creek	32	13	19	—	3	J. Reeves	140
Macksville	33	—	33	17	13	W. Wright	174
Maclean	28	—	28	—	7	C. Bowden	146
Maitland	44	13	30	21	7	A. Burg	170
Mallanganee	50	50	—	—	—	Elementary C'rse Only	
Manilla	35	21	14	10	4	T. Taylor	174
Manly	36	12	24	11	13	R. H. Koops	170
Marulan	30	14	16	3	6	A. E. Shepherd	168
Mathoura	38	16	22	12	7	J. Leetham	175
Methul	48	48	—	—	—	Elementary C'rse Only	
Metropolitan Railway	44	—	44	7	6	J. Broughton	168
Millthorpe	68	21	47	20	24	B. W. Eagy	184
Molong	31	20	11	8	3	R. B. Black	174
Milton	38	9	29	19	7	H. L. Petty	173
Mittagong	34	6	26	7	8	G. H. Loseby	167
Milong	40	37	3	1	2	D. C. Gordon	173
Monteagle	47	31	16	2	6	J. L. M'Quillen	170
Mudgee	61	21	40	29	8	G. A. Gentle	183
Mullion Creek	48	16	30	5	8	A. Ostini	174
Mullumbimby	50	17	32	23	7	C. L. Armbruster	184
Mutama	60	28	5	—	2	A. Last	146
Murrumbateman	61	39	22	6	13	A. G. Davis	187
Murrurundi	38	19	20	18	2	A. T. Huntley	181
Murrumburrah-Harden	29	17	12	6	1	W. D. Kennedy	179
Murwillumbah	34	17	17	11	6	O. E. Boyd	166
Muswellbrook	57	35	22	14	5	J. Hogan	174
Mooki Springs	—	—	—	—	—	Club to be disbanded	
Narromine	60	60	—	—	—	Elementary C'rse Only	
Narrabri	31	17	14	6	6	C. Shearer	158
Narrandera	47	26	17	6	4	H. Mallcroft	167
Nerrigundah	35	24	11	2	3	W. Connolly	151
Newbridge	40	24	16	2	11	M. Toomey	150
Newcastle	12	10	22	32	1	J. L. Pemberton	167
Newcastle Tramway	42	6	36	14	21	A. Dyken	164
Nimbin	60	36	23	9	10	R. Gall	180
North Sydney	41	—	40	28	7	H. Jones	181
Nowra	35	8	27	10	8	F. Taylor	173
Nullamana	24	—	24	1	—	R. G. Dundas	150
Nyngan	39	13	25	18	4	G. P. M'Carthy	180
Nimitybelle	16	—	—	—	—	Club disbanding.	
O'Connell	38	30	8	—	—	H. V. Morgan	110
Ollera	42	26	16	3	8	W. H. Percy	160
Orange	79	40	38	20	7	W. E. Linn	175
Orange R'way Ambulance	100	71	29	11	7	W. M'Laren	176
Orara	32	11	21	18	4	D. J. Porter	184
Pambula	44	22	22	10	10	D. Buckett	174
Parkes	37	22	15	11	2	W. J. Plowman	175
Parramatta	60	3	57	44	10	A. H. Hattersley	183
Peak Hill	76	23	53	22	14	J. E. Walsh	187
Penrith	32	11	20	11	5	H. J. Farr	177
Picton	34	2	32	20	12	C. F. Vacchini	175
Portland	57	24	31	11	16	C. M. Wettig	171
Post and Telegraph	51	15	36	36	—	M. P. Madigan	178
Queanbeyan	40	4	36	17	14	H. Beatty	177
Quirindi	43	11	32	19	12	J. F. Rowland	179
Randwick	64	—	64	60	4	P. Const. A. R. Stephenson	189
Rhyanna	26	3	23	10	12	S. M. Yeadon	184
Rockdale	46	17	29	4	14	W. H. Talbot	165
Rockley	31	18	13	5	—	V. C. M'Kell	164
Rockton	34	20	14	10	4	A. L. Platts	172
Rocky Dam	46	38	8	6	2	T. M'Clymont	180
Rollands Plains	33	23	10	1	5	G. H. Cutler	150
Rouchel	31	5	26	4	14	T. E. M'Cabe	164
R'ning Stream	42	5	35	14	11	W. Hill	167
Rye Park	36	10	26	2	4	T. Perceval	160
Rylstone	44	9	31	16	12	A. E. Sanderson	182
Rugby	42	37	5	2	—	A. S. M'Carthy	158
Scone	30	—	—	—	—	No range available.	
Shellharbour	31	4	27	17	9	S. W. Bursill	181
Singleton	60	31	29	15	11	P. Whitfield (police sgt.)	173
Silver City (Broken Hill)	35	15	17	9	8	G. H. Eustis	166
Smithtown	31	10	21	12	8	G. Plummer	176
Sotala	33	33	—	—	—	Elementary Course only.	
South Sydney	52	8	44	21	23	P. Swinbourne	180
South African Soldiers Association	36	36	—	—	—	Elementary course only	
Spring Ridge	46	10	36	21	9	B. Lawrence	187
Springwood	30	23	7	1	2	J. Coyle	163
St. Marys	45	35	10	10	—	H. Matthews	176
Sunny Corner	29	12	16	11	5	P. Withers	175
Sydney	59	10	49	46	3	D. Dalmazzo	185
Sydney Training College	64	42	22	22	—	J. H. Martin	183
Sydney Tramway	149	41	108	57	51	W. Southwell	177
Tamworth	79	23	56	32	20	T. Dorrington	179
Tarago and L. Bathurst	40	22	18	7	7	W. H. Webb	182
Taralga	50	—	—	—	—	No Musketry.	
Taree	37	6	31	15	15	A. Longworth	184
Tarcutta	62	—	62	16	22	A. Hilton	186
Telegraph Pt.	35	14	21	9	9	T. Munday	180
Temora	48	—	—	—	—	Club disbanding.	
Tenterfield	61	—	—	—	—	No range available.	
Thyra	32	8	24	8	7	E. Tomlinson	171
Tingha	50	37	13	6	3	R. Cooper	163
Tomingley	31	10	21	10	10	W. Hawes	165
Tooloom	39	38	—	—	—	Elementary course only	
Tooraweenah	34	26	8	4	4	S. A. Blackman	175
Towamba	49	11	38	29	9	S. J. Gibson	177
Tumbarumba	51	42	9	—	1	J. W. M'Pherson	141
Tumut	37	5	32	9	12	Geo. Hillier	159
Towrang	30	16	14	2	4	J. Kellett	152
Teven	33	—	—	—	—	New club.	
Uki	56	50	6	6	—	E. W. Roberts	180
Urana	53	—	—	—	—	No range available.	
Upp. Macleay	35	15	20	1	11	E. J. Fuller	153
United Tramways (Broken Hill)	62	30	32	14	15	W. J. Waldie	179
Wagga	37	18	19	14	3	F. W. Rushton	1[illegible]
Wallerawang	44	12	32	2	9	A. E. Palmer	16[illegible]
Wallamba Riv.	30	11	19	4	4	A. C. Weber	182
Wardell	53	47	—	—	—	Elementary course only	
Warialda	36	12	24	23	1	C. Powell	176
Warren	37	17	20	18	2	W. H. Shelswell	181
Water and Sew'ge B'rd	42	14	28	18	7	F. Garrard	187
Wauchope	31	10	21	15	5	N. J. Lindsay	181
Wellington	105	60	43	28	10	E. Barnes	187
Wentwth. Fls.	34	20	12	9	1	W. F. Weeks	167
Wentworth	36	25	9	—	3	B. B. Wilkes	157
West Broken Hill	61	34	26	18	3	J. J. Correll	184
West'n Subs.	62	16	46	28	14	C. Muir	172
West Wyalong	58	7	51	27	18	F. L. Riley	175
Werris Creek	24	22	2	2	—	W. G. Denham	160
White Cliffs	43	20	10	6	4	R. Jackson	174
Wilcannia	34	15	19	7	3	F. Sutton	162
Willawarrin	46	30	14	4	4	J. Poulton	153
Windsor	42	11	31	12	10	T. M. Mitchell	171
Wingham	36	17	16	16	—	R. L. Rowling	190
Wollomombi	37	21	16	12	4	C. M. Patterson	189
Wollongong	42	1	41	23	8	W. Harrigan	184
Wunderlich employees	44	17	27	13	11	G. T. Jones	175
Wongwibinda	52	52	—	—	—	Elementary course only.	
Woodenbong	34	29	5	1	1	E. Pethers	154
Woodhouselee	29	13	15	9	6	C. Gray	175
Wood's Reef	34	16	22	2	5	H. Crowley	159
Woolgoolga	32	12	20	8	3	H. Allen	178
Wyalong	44	—	—	—	—	No Musketry.	
Walmer	34	34	—	—	—	Elementary course only.	
Woodstock	32	34	—	—	—	New club.	
Wellington Railway Ambulance	42	42	—	—	—	Elementary course only.	
Wolumla	43	33	10	2	4	S. Fairley	160
Yass	44	29	22	7	15	A. A. Smith	171
Yerranderie	35	11	24	2	2	E. M. Bartlett	158
Yorkshire Society	33	—	33	17	9	N. G. Stead	174
Young	82	27	55	—	17	A. J. Rabbets	184

The railway revenue last week was £2785 more than that of the corresponding week of 1910. The total amount received was £121,404. The tramway earnings also showed in the same comparison an increase of £3780, the fares amounting to £27,724.

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BIRTHS.

ADAMS.—September 6, at Tattersall's Hotel, Sydney, the wife of William J. Adams, of a son (William Charles).

DE COURCY BROWNE.—September 13, at Christchurch, N.Z., the wife of H. A. De Courcy Browne—a son.

MOULDER.—August 26, 1911, at Nurse Lucan's private hospital, Anson-street, Orange, Mrs. Moulder (nee Pauline Hawkins), wife of H. C. Moulder, Nangerbone station, Nymagee—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ELLIS—LONG.—September 9, at St. Paul's, Burwood, by Rev. Harry Bryant, George Edward Ellis, second son of George Edward Ellis, Esq., of Enfield, to Violette I. A. Long, youngest daughter of William James Long, Esq., of Burwood.

HICKEY—KENNEDY.—August 16, 1911, at the R.C. Church, Narooma, by the Rev. P. Cassidy, P.P., John, eldest son of J. Hickey, Esq., J.P., Wyndham, N.S.W., to Mary Connolly, youngest daughter of the late Michael Kennedy, of Numba, Shoalhaven.

DEATHS.

COSTELLO.—September 13, at her residence, Strathmore, Kundibar-street, Katoomba, Verena May (Phillis), daughter Mrs. Watson, aged 35 years.

DILLON.—September 12, 1911, at his residence, Arcadia, 76 Liverpool-street, Paddington, James Dillon, aged 76 years. R.I.P.

FAHEY.—September 13, 1911, at his residence, Fleet-street, Parramatta North, Michael Fahey, aged 76 years. R.I.P.

GALLOWAY.—September 13, 1911, at her late residence, No. 3 Milk-street (off Goulburn-street), Surry Hills, Frances Bridget, dearly beloved wife of John Galloway, and beloved daughter of John Cooney, aged 20 years. R.I.P.

HALCROW.—September 13, at her residence, Hassall-street, Parramatta, Marion Jane, beloved wife of Captain E. Halcrow. Maryborough (Qld.) papers please copy.

HANDEL.—September 13, 1911, at the residence of his parents, 101 Gowrie-street, Newtown, Richard Sydney, third dearly loved son of Henry I. and Cealy Handel, aged 29 years.

MOGER.—At Adelaide Hospital, Frederic Robert Moger, of Neutral Bay, Sydney, eldest son of the late Frederic Slade Moger, F.R.C.S., England, aged 40 years.

MUSGRAVE.—September 13, at her son's residence, Napper-street, Coogee, Ellen, the wife of the late Philip Musgrave, aged 61.

PAYTEN.—September 13, 1911, at St. Vincent's Hospital, James, beloved husband of Edith Payten, R.I.P.

RUTHERFORD.—At Mackay, Queensland, James Rutherford, of Bathurst, N.S.W., in his 85th year.

WALES.—September 13, 1911, at Sydney Hospital (through injuries accidentally received), Captain Harry Holmes Wales, second son of John G. K. Wales, Esq., of National Bank, Gloucester Gate, Regent's Park, London, aged 28 years.

WESTBROOK.—September 13, at his residence, Eastbourne, Sandy Bay, Hobart, in his 70th year, Thomas, fifth and last surviving son of the late Dr. James Westbrook, of Hobart, Tasmania, and father of T. L. Westbrook, of the Australian Bank of Commerce, Sydney.

WHOLOHAN.—September 13, at her residence, St. Marys, Catherine Mary, widow of the late Patrick Wholohan, of Greendale, Mulgoa. At rest.

IN MEMORIAM.

BARRINGTON.—In loving memory of our daughter and sister, Florence, aged 21, who departed this life September 14, 1907. Death took her from our home, but never from our hearts. Inserted by her loving father, mother, and sister.

BARRINGTON.—In loving memory of our dear cousin, Florrie Barrington, who passed away at North Sydney, September 14, 1907. Inserted by Barney and Lil Barrington.

BARRINGTON.—In sad memory of dear little Flo Barrington, who died September 14, 1907. V.

BARRINGTON.—In loving memory of our dear friend, Flo, who died September 14, 1907. Inserted by her loving friends, Lukey and Zara.

BROWN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father, Charles Clark Brown, who died September 14, 1910. Inserted by his loving sons and sister-in-law, Richard, Arthur, and Flemia.

CLINTON.—In loving memory of Jane Clinton, who died September 14, 1910. Inserted by her brother-in-law, James Arthur, and her loving nephews and nieces.

DAVIS.—In loving memory of Louie Davis, who passed away September 14, 1910. Inserted by her loving grandmother and uncles Wall and Arthur, and aunts Ede and Pop.

DOWSWELL.—A tribute of everlasting affection to the memory of my dear mother, who passed to a higher life September 14, 1910.

If the grave could only open
Many changes you would see,
But perhaps it is far better
That there is sweet rest for thee.

Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Leslie and Violet Dowswell.

GUMPERTS.—In sad and everlasting memory of my dear husband and our dear father, who departed this life September 14, 1907. Inserted by his sorrowing wife and sons, Ambrose and Siegmond. May the angels watch and care over him as he cared over us, and his soul rest in peace. Amen.

GUMPERTS.—In sad and respected remembrance of my beloved father, George Ephraim Gumperts, who departed this life September 14, 1907, at Marrickville. May his soul rest in peace.

Years have passed since last we met,
But remembrance I ne'er forget.

Inserted by his loving son Gus.

GUNNELL.—In loving memory of my dear father, John Charles Gunnell, who died at St. Helena, Mudgee, September 14, 1910. Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, J. L. and M. G. Gunnell.

HALL.—A tribute of love to the memory of our dear little son (Cam), who passed away September 14, 1907, aged 5 years.

How much of life, how much of joy,
Is buried with our darling boy.

Inserted by his loving father and mother, William and Rosena Hall.

HALL.—In fond and ever-loving memory of my dear little grandson (Cam), who passed away September 14, 1907, aged 5 years. Inserted by his loving grandmother, M. Henson.

HALL.—In fondest memory of our darling little nephew, Cameron, who departed this life September 14, 1907. Inserted by his loving auntie and uncle, Flo and Frank James.

HARRISON.—A token of the deepest love and affection to the memory of our ever-loving and never-forgotten mother and grandmother, Maria Harrison, who departed this life September 14, 1890, in her 60th year. Inserted by her loving son and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harrison. At rest.

HARRISON.—To the cherished memory of dear mother and grandmother, Maria, the dearly-loved wife of the late William Henry Harrison, who entered into rest September 14, 1890, in her 60th year. Sarah and William Watts and family, New Zealand.

HEATON.—In loving memory of my dear son and our brother, who departed this life September 14, 1909. Inserted by his loving mother, brothers, and sisters.

IVERS.—In sad and loving memory of our dearly loved son and brother, Charles, who died September 14, 1909. Inserted by his loving mother, brothers, and sister, Ellen Ivers; also Bernard, Sydney, Rosie. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on his soul.

IVERS.—In sad and loving memory of my dearly loved brother, Charles, Ivers, who departed this life September 14, 1909. Sadly missed. Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, Annie and William Moore.

IVERS.—In sad but loving memory of my dear brother, Charles, who departed this life September 14, 1909, aged 31 years. Inserted by his loving sister, Mary Annen, also little niece Rita. R.I.P.

IVERS.—In sad but loving memory of our dear brother, Charles, who departed this life September 14, 1909. Inserted by his sorrowing sister and brother-in-law, Nellie and Ernest Arnold.

IVERS.—In fond and loving memory of our dear brother and brother-in-law, Charlie (Chilla), who departed this life September 14, 1909. R.I.P. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law and niece, Joe, Bella, and Nellie.

IVERS.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Charles, who died September 14, 1909. Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, Jim and Molly.

IVERS.—In loving memory of my dear mate, Charles Ivers, who departed this life September 14, 1909. Inserted by his loving friend, J. Wright.

JOHANSEN.—In ever-loving memory of my beloved wife, Lena, who departed this life September 14, 1906, aged 34 years.

Not dead to me, I loved her dear;
Not lost, but gone before;
She lives with me in memory still,
And will for ever more.

Inserted by her loving husband, Julius Johansen.

JOHANSEN.—In sad but loving memory of our darling daughter, Lena, who departed this life September 14, 1906, aged 34 years.

God called her home—it was His will—
But in our hearts she is living still.
Her memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour she passed away.

Inserted by her loving father and mother, William and Ellen Clare.

JOHANSEN.—In fond remembrance of our dear sister, Lena, who departed this life September 14, 1906. We mourn the loss of one we loved, and did our best to save. Inserted by her loving sisters and brothers-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Haggarty and Mr. and Mrs. Lantz.

JOHANSEN.—In loving memory of our beloved sister, Lena, who departed this life September 14, 1906, aged 34 years.

Beloved in life, regretted still;
Remembered in the grave.

Inserted by her loving sisters and brothers-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen and Mr. and Mrs. Simpson.

JOHANSEN.—In fond and loving memory of our dear sister, Lena, who departed this life September 14, 1906, aged 34 years.

Her sufferings were great, her pain severe;
But she bore it with patience till God drew near.

Inserted by her loving sisters and brothers-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hardman and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hardman.

LANDES.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Jacob Landes, who died September 14, 1906. Inserted by his loving wife, Lillie Landes.

MORRISON.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Alexander Watson (Alick), who was instantly killed in Elizabeth-street, September 14, 1910.

He has gone to be with Jesus,
His Saviour and his friend;
He has entered upon joys
That shall never, never end.

Inserted by his loving parents, brothers, and sisters.

RIDAWAY.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father, who departed this life on September 14, 1906. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Nellie and Will. Gone, but not forgotten.

RIDAWAY.—In loving and affectionate memory of our dear father, who departed this life September 14, 1906. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Watkin and Emma Barwick.

THOMPSON.—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister (Annie), who died September 14, 1909. Inserted by her loving mother, father, and brothers, Bond, George, Gilbert.

THOMPSON.—In loving memory of our dear sister (Annie), who died September 14, 1909. Inserted by her loving brothers and sisters, Dick and Lizzie, Sid and Lily, Jim and Sis.

THOMPSON.—In sad and loving remembrance of dear Annie, who departed this life on September 14, 1909.

God called her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts she is living still.

Inserted by her loving friend Charlie.

THORNBORROW.—In loving memory of our dear son, Percy, who passed away September 14, 1909, aged 21 years.

Always of you, dear, I'm thinking,
Grieved to be from you apart;
With tears of grief we watched you sinking,
With sad and breaking hearts.

Inserted by his loving parents.

THORNBORROW.—In loving memory of our dear brother, who departed this life September 14, 1909, aged 21 years. The leaves of remembrance murmur back sweet recollections. Inserted by his loving brother and sister.

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THORNBORROW.—In loving memory of our dear nephew, Percy, who departed this life September 14, 1909. Inserted by his loving aunties, Maud, Ila, and Muriel.

THORNBORROW.—In loving memory of Percy Thornborrow, who departed this life September 14, 1909, aged 21 years. Inserted by a friend.

THORNBORROW.—In loving memory of my dear friend, P. Thornborrow, who departed this life on September 14, 1909. B. Russell.

TWEDDLE.—In loving memory of our darling mother, Mary Ann Tweddle, who departed this life September 14, 1910. Thy will be done. Inserted by her daughter and son-in-law, Mary and George Edmonds.

WILSON.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Charles Eugene Davis Wilson, who passed away September 14, 1910.

His chair is vacant still,
And never can be filled;
There is a wound in my poor heart,
That never can be healed.

Inserted by his loving wife, Emily Wilson.

WILSON.—In loving memory of my dear father, Charles Eugene Davis Wilson, who departed this life September 14, 1910.

The very best that God could send,
A true, fond father and faithful friend.
Forget him? No, we never will,
Though years roll on we love him still.

Inserted by his affectionate son, Horace.

WILSON.—In affectionate remembrance of my dearly beloved father, Charles Eugene Davis Wilson, who departed this life on September 14, 1910, aged 62 years. May he rest in peace.

To keep you with me, darling dad,
I tried, but all in vain;
And now I pray for that happy day
To be with you once again.

Inserted by his loving daughter, Dora Wilson, 10 Ross-street, Forest Lodge.

WILSON.—In memory of my dear father, Charles Eugene Davis Wilson, who passed away September 14, 1910.

As the ivy clings to the oak,
Our memory clings to thee.

Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Mabel and Andrew Marshall.

WILSON.—In sad and loving memory of my dear father, Charles Eugene Davis Wilson, who departed this life September 15, 1910, age 62 years.

Relentless death amongst us comes,
In bitter grief we part;
It takes the loved one from our home,
But never from our heart.

Inserted by his loving daughter Aggie.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. LUKE PRUNTY, Dysart, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, desires to return THANKS to the doctors of Prince Alfred Hospital, especially Dr. Blackburn, also the sisters and nurses of C2 Ward and Walker Ward, and also the Rev. Father White, Father Coonan, Father Kelly, and Father Vaughan, and the sisters of St. Joseph, Camperdown, and the officers and members of the Cabmen's Union, Mr. Keegan (president), and Mr. Fletcher (secretary), and also kind friends, for wreaths and cards and kind expressions of sympathy in his sad bereavement.

Mr. W. WALMSLEY and Miss J. WALMSLEY desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many friends and neighbours for kind sympathy, letters, cards, and floral tributes in their late bereavement, occasioned by the loss of their beloved mother, E. Walmsley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. HACKSHALL, and Mr. and Mrs. A. WILDER desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many friends and neighbours for kind sympathy, letters, cards, and floral tributes in their late bereavement, occasioned by the loss of their beloved mother, E. Walmsley.

Funeral Announcements will be found on Page 7 of this issue.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1911.

THE INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK.

The trouble at Lithgow shows no sign of settlement. Our latest advices indicate, indeed, that there is a possibility of extension, and soon we may have industries hung up in the metropolis if non-union iron has to be handled. Already there has been an extraordinary development in this direction through the shipping companies. The principle seems to have been laid down that cargo condemned by the unions because of its connection with non-union labour is to be left behind. Just such disabilities as were imposed by the Church in medieval times are to be enforced in this enlightened age, and people or products banned by a strike committee are to be as cruelly isolated as though they were smitten with plague. The interdict of the Church meant starvation and death, and the union interdict is apparently to carry ruin and desolation in its train. That such a condition of things should be possible in sunny, prosperous Australia seems the very irony of experience, though we shall be told that prosperity and strikes go together. Nothing is such a fruitful mother of discontent as a season of great progress, and when there have been several seasons in succession no one is to be surprised at trade dislocation and endless strikes. But this, after all, is only a half-truth. In this land we are justified in assuming that reason has some sway and fair play is recognised as bonny play. No body of workers need go with a grievance unredressed, and every demand for higher wages will be sure of patient investigation by boards chosen from both sides. If it were merely a question of obtaining justice from employers, there would be no strikes, because the law has made it possible, nay, certain, that justice shall be done. But, apparently, something more is wanted. Wages boards, and an Industrial Court, presided over by a Judge of acknowledged impartiality, count for nothing, and even the intervention and advice of Labour Ministers are to prove barren. A spirit of restlessness and lawlessness is in evidence, and the experiences of Port Adelaide last year are apparently to be repeated in this State if the mandates of unionism are not regarded. Shipping companies are to refuse so-called "blackleg" iron, foundry masters in Sydney are to find their occupation gone if they touch any of the accursed thing, and the community as a whole may ultimately be held by the throat if any avenue of distribution upon which a placard has been placed is kept open for the banned employer.

This is a spirit which no prosperity will explain; and it is the more sinister because the administration of the law and all the machinery of Government in this State and in the Commonwealth are in the hands of men chosen by the Labour party. Well may dispassionate observers of the trend of things wonder what Australia is coming to. If they have travelled they will have noticed that many of our workingmen went to the Coronation, and are returning satisfied that Australia is still the best place to live in. The Orient steamers at the beginning of the year carried many third-class passengers of this description who had taken return tickets, and the fact was evidence enough that there was no lack of money among our workingmen. A trip of 24,000 miles is not the usual perquisite of artisans anywhere, and probably there is no other country capable of providing as much to so many. But in this land we have the paradox of power and perversity, because our workingmen apparently do not know when they are well off. They cannot plead as their fellows in Great Britain do, that the cost of living has increased out of all proportion to any rise in wages. Mr. Chiozza Money, M.P., has recently pointed out that, while prices have gone up 10 per cent. in England since 1899, during the last 10 years "the wages in a group of industrial trades which have been investigated have risen only 1 per cent." The cost of living has advanced here, no doubt, but the advance in wages has been constant, and is still to be reckoned with. The arguments used abroad cannot be applied here with anything like the same cogency in this regard, and when we come to the trouble which appears to be reaching a head in Newcastle we are bound to confess that the spirit of revolt against discipline and order is so strongly in evidence as to lead one almost to despair. The miners do not seem to give heed to their own officials. Many of them, it is true, would work out of the difficulty with the wheelers by methods of common sense, but they do not care to attend the lodge meetings and assert themselves. The extremists as a natural consequence take the lead, and are proposing a course of action which must end in such an extension of strife as will once more land the community in something very like civil war. The officials of the Federation are evidently nonplussed. They do not know what to do, and a parcel of refractory youths are thus allowed to force the whole body of miners into a path whose only end can be loss upon loss and the severest privation. What has unionism to gain by such methods of madness? Our politics are not being served, because Ministers seem afraid to take action. It would be interesting in this connection to know how many fines imposed for breaches of the law under this heading have been collected. How many men have been fined and boast that they have not paid, and do not intend to pay? It all tends to demoralisation, and nobody will suffer more in the long run than unionists themselves. The same revolt against union officials is to be noticed in England, we admit, and the same apprehensions are being expressed; but in this land no reasonable excuse can be found, and those who have most influence in the Labour party will do well to speak out.

THE CANADIAN ELECTIONS.

For fifteen years of Liberal administration Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been the first man in Canada, but the ferocity with which the present elections are being fought suggests that his reign is nearly at an end. He himself has frequently spoken of retirement, and it is known that he will not care to lead the Liberals in Opposition if they are defeated. It is usually inevitable that after a long period of office a party finds the political pendulum swinging against it, and this more than anything else is what is happening to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The issues seen from a distance all look more or less artificial. Sir Wilfrid stands or falls by reciprocity with the United States. No sensible person really believes that any amount of reciprocity is the first step to annexation; but for election purposes that is what half Canada is asked to assume. Ontario in particular has been roused to a quite unnatural and unnecessary fury over this question, which is really one of a purely commercial character—the problem of finding the nearest market for Canadian products. On the whole the drift of the campaign has been decidedly against the Liberals, and there seems little doubt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has lost much of his old influence. Our cables have shown the steady rise of the anti-Laurier sentiment, and conversely the Conservatives and the Nationalists have been showing themselves stronger than they have ever been before. The Imperialist section has always been loud voiced; but up to now it has been voice and little besides. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has found himself between several cross-fires, and to the resulting opportunism of his utterances, coupled with insistent charges of corruption, must be ascribed the weakness of the party at the present moment. At all events, the fight is a singularly bitter one. Mr. Bourassa, who seems to be counting for more than Mr. Borden in the strife, has imported a vindictiveness of denunciation into the struggle that has seldom been equalled. The Administration, he says, is infected with a pestilent gangrene, and it is plainly his mission to cut it out.

Sir Wilfrid, it must be admitted, is rather over-anxious to make the reciprocity proposals the test of confidence, and so escape dealing with the many awkward matters being thrust under his notice—his Navy Act more particularly. But the question is, whether the Dominion will allow itself to be obsessed by the reciprocity cry. After all that cry is being done to death by all parties, for and against. Even if reciprocity meant annexation, which it does not, there are half a dozen other inescapable factors tending in that direction, the Americanisation of industry, and the too rapid flow of immigration, to mention only two of them. But anything is good enough to throw at an unpopular Minister, and there is no doubt that the Opposition appeal for Canadian autonomy, Canadian unity, and the rights of minorities, is going to count for much. The last week of this month, moreover, is by no means a suitable polling time for Western Canada, which will then be engaged in harvesting, and will have incidentally displaced many thousands of nomadic voters from the east. Among the minor details of significance is the defection of Mr. Sifton, who has organised the last four campaigns on behalf of the Government. He is a particularly strong ally for the enemy among the farming population. Though not himself a candidate, he is putting all his skill as an organiser at the disposal of Mr. Borden and the Conservatives—a fact which must obviously be embittering the campaign. As a final ingredient in the witches' cauldron comes the sectarianism which is raging as the result of the "Ne Temere" decree. Feeling is so keen on this matter among Protestants that the Liberals are not unlikely to lose several constituencies in consequence.

ANTARCTIC EXPLORATION.

The decision of the State Government to contribute a substantial sum to the funds of the first purely Australian Antarctic expedition is one with which neither Parliament nor the public is likely to quarrel. There is little doubt that the other States will see their way to help as South Australia has already done, and the Federal Government has now promised £5000. The project has now got beyond the tentative stage. It received a commendable amount of support in Great Britain, and more than half of the £50,000 required is, we think, already assured. Accordingly, the expedition will go to the south. How long it can stay there, how complete can be its staff, and how free from financial obligations its promoters can be on their return still depends upon the public-spirited generosity of the Governments and the private individuals of Australia. We have already expressed the hope that the full amount of the funds required will be in sight before the expedition starts. It is no doubt true that Antarctic exploration is now being rather overdone, and that the results are not altogether commensurate with the expenditure of time, strength, and money involved. But against that outstanding difficulty is the fact of our special interest in Antarctica, and our special duty to do a share in solving the many problems of the south that still remain outstanding. The present expedition, at any rate, has not been got up for display purposes, nor does its programme involve spectacular effects of any kind, except, perhaps, the very problematical use of a monoplane. For the rest the work contemplated is of the plainly useful kind, not likely to bring any special honour or glory to those who take part in it, but requisite and necessary as well for the body as the soul of science. The main object is the charting of a long stretch of unknown coastline, and it is obvious that this represents the very beginnings of a sound knowledge of the Antarctic continent. The fifty odd men who are to comprise the expedition will all be workers in the best sense of that term.

The portion of the Antarctic coastline to be explored is that which lies nearest to Australia, and it is no doubt within the bounds of possibility that results of commercial or industrial importance may emerge; but it is better to look upon the undertaking as one of those efforts of pure science undertaken without hope of reward by all the parties concerned. Antarctica as a business proposition is admittedly not attractive, though with Klondyke gold in view, and with iron mined a hundred miles within the Arctic circle, no one can say that Antarctica may not have a future. Its present belongs to the penguins, but even so it can never cease to be of interest to us as the principal manufactory of Australian weather. Sooner or later, no doubt, its geology will, in addition, become better known, and it is tolerably certain that in that case material of the greatest scientific importance would come to light, not merely as regards the many problems of the geological history of the present continent, their flora and fauna, but as to the general sequence of terrestrial conditions. No one so far has been able to give an altogether satisfactory account of secular changes in the distribution of temperature, for example. Those who lead the expedition can claim that they are doing very useful work, and as the staff will consist largely of young Australians the results will afford the world a useful object-lesson as to the value of the scientific training available in Australian universities. Those who know best the difficulties of even the most commonplace original work will be the last to cast a stone, even if the explorers return seemingly empty handed. But if they accomplish little more than their charting work they will earn a place for Australia in the annals of polar investigation.

State Session.—The Legislative Assembly did not meet until half-past seven last evening, and sat for four hours. Assent was given to the motion that a message be sent to the Legislative Council covering amendments made by that body in the Parliamentary Elections (Amendment) Bill. Though the message disagrees with the action of the Council in striking out the asylum vote, the Government has allowed it to go forth that if the Council insists upon the amendment the Assembly will give way. The prevarication charge made by the Speaker against Mr. Wade was debated on a dissent motion moved by Dr. Arthur and negatived by a majority of five votes; and on a motion for adjournment Colonel Onslow drew attention to the dangerous congestion on several of the tramway lines. Notice of motion was given by the Minister for Works covering schemes which he will ask the House to sanction, and several motions dissenting from rulings given by the Speaker were tabled. The House adjourned at 11.10.

Public Works Proposals.—The Minister for Works last night stated that the public works for which he gave notice of immediate construction consisted of eight railways, one harbour construction, two sewerage schemes, all of which will entail an expenditure of £2,000,000. "I am giving notice," said Mr. Griffith, "on Thursday night of twelve more railways, two tramway lines, three sewerage works, three water supply schemes, three harbour works, and five miscellaneous schemes, totalling an expenditure of £4,000,000. There are still proposals in the hands of the Public Works Committee, for which approval has already been given, which will entail an expenditure of another £2,000,000."

Mr. Perry's Action.—To-day Messrs. Minter Simpson and Company, acting on behalf of Mr. John Perry, a member of the Assembly, will file the plaintiff's declaration in his action against the Speaker and Sergeant-at-Arms for assault. It is as follows:—"John Perry, by Alexander Robert Minter, his attorney, sues Henry Willis and William Sydney Christie, Sergeant-at-Arms, of the Legislative Assembly of the State of New South Wales, for that the defendants assaulted and beat the plaintiff, whereby the plaintiff suffered pain of body and mind, and sustained insult and injury, and was otherwise damnified; (2) and the plaintiff also sues the defendants for that the defendants assaulted the plaintiff and imprisoned him, and kept him in prison, whereby the plaintiff suffered pain of body and mind and sustained insult and injury, and was otherwise damnified." And the plaintiff claims £1000. The defendants have eight days within which to plead, and their case is in the hands of the Crown Solicitor.

Sir Matthew Harris and the Council.—Yesterday an application was made by Mr. Sheridan, instructed by Mr. M. J. Harris, to Mr. Justice Pring, in Chambers, for a rule nisi for a mandamus directing the Municipal Council of Sydney to hear him before proceeding to pull down certain stables attached to premises at 235 Bulwarra-road, Ultimo, under notice given to him that the stables were in a ruinous state. Applicant stated in his affidavit that a resolution was passed by the council on August 29 instructing the necessary action at law to be taken with reference to the notice, under section 84 of the Corporation Act, served upon him, and not complied with. He had no notice of such resolution, nor was he called upon to show cause why it should not be passed, and it was the intention of the council, in pursuance of the resolution, to demolish the stables. He therefore asked for a rule nisi calling upon the council to show cause why a mandamus should not be granted directing the council to hear him before taking further action. The rule was granted, and made returnable next Term, and a stay of proceedings was granted in the meantime.

A Fifty-three Days' Hearing.—The shearers' case which is occupying the attention of Mr. Justice Higgins and a forensic Bar representing most of the States in the Commonwealth, is drawing to a conclusion. Yesterday the fifty-third day of hearing was reached, and during the afternoon after the last witness had been recalled it was announced by counsel for the various interests represented by the Pastoralists' Federal Council of Australia, that the respondents' case had closed. Counsel's addresses will now occupy the Court's attention, and these, it is understood, will conclude by Monday next.

London Newsboys.—The New South Wales Agent-General keeps a sharp lookout for intimations in the London press relating to the State where the Government is concerned. He reported to the Premier recently that a letter had been published in one of the newspapers in which an appeal was made for subscriptions to enable newsboys to be sent out. This particular appeal was signed by the founder of a newsboys' club. It stated that the boys could be sent out for £20 each, and that they would be trained in rural work and maintained by the State, afterwards being placed in positions on wages, when they would start to repay their passage expenses. The Agent-General got into communication with the writer of the letter, and pointed out that there was no warrant for the references to the Government. As a matter of fact, boys coming to New South Wales have to be passed by the Agent-General.

Ordinance 56.—Manly Council is at war with the Board of Health. Ordinance 56 strictly lays down that butchers' shops must be sufficiently protected from dust and flies by means of satisfactory enclosures. The aldermen of the Manly Council endeavoured to have Manly exempted, and pointed out that Manly, with its fresh air and the electric fans in the shops, was sufficiently safeguarded. A communication was read at the last meeting of the council, stating that the Board would take the necessary steps at law to compel the council to have the ordinance strictly carried out. Sixty clear days' notice was given to the council in which to have the ordinance enforced. Alderman Neale strongly denounced the Board of Health for its action. Manly was different to other suburbs. He would not tolerate the treatment of the Board, and would move at the next meeting of the council that the ordinance be repealed. The council had power to do it. Why should the aldermen have to hustle at the twist of the tail by the Board of Health? Alderman Quirk also condemned the Board. They had a sample of their treatment over the land at North Manly. For 15 years property owners had paid rates, and were now rated higher owing to their land being drained by the improvements at the Manly Lagoon. The Board of Health's officers had waited all these years and seen buildings go up without protest. They now came along, when the rates were much higher, and condemned the land. The council were unanimously of opinion that the Board of Health had no jurisdiction.

A Possible Enemy in our Midst.—Mr. W. H. Kelly, M.P., is much exercised in regard to the action of a foreign Power in fitting vessels trading to Australia with gun mountings, and in supplying them with guns and ammunition. In the House of Representatives yesterday he followed up his previous questions on the subject by asking the Minister representing the Minister for Defence, whether the Defence Department knew how many such ships there were. He further desired to know whether the department was keeping the matter secret, or whether it was without any information on the subject. Mr. Frazer, in reply, said that it was not considered advisable in the public interest to publish such information. Before the House adjourned last night, Mr. Kelly repeated his inquiries regarding foreign merchantmen trading to Australia which could be fitted as commerce destroyers, and said that, although the Government declined to give particulars of these boats, the public should be informed of the danger which they might have to face.

A Seaman's Claim.—An interesting action was heard before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury yesterday. It appeared that while the coastal steamer Corra Lynn was on the way from Byron Bay to Sydney on December 18 she went to the assistance of the St. George, which had broken down, and was in close proximity to the rocks. A hawser was passed to the St. George, and plaintiff and two other members of the crew of the Corra Lynn attached it to what is called a "cabel," which was fastened to iron stanchions. The Corra Lynn then started ahead, but the cabel snapped, and a piece of the wood striking plaintiff, fractured one of his thighs, and knocked him overboard. The main purpose of the cabel was for mooring the vessel at a wharf, and plaintiff contended that the owners of the Corra Lynn were negligent in using inferior material in the towing operation. His Honor nonsuited the plaintiff on the ground that there was no evidence against defendants of negligence. He also pointed out that the master of the Corra Lynn was bound to go to the assistance of the St. George, and that he used the only efficient means aboard for towing purposes.

Railway Billets Open.—Whether it is that the railway and tramway service is not popular as a sphere of employment, or whether it is suffering from the general dearth of labour, cannot be decided in general terms. It remains a fact, however, that the requirements of the department in this respect are never satisfied. The staff of porters, tramway conductors, junior porters, office lads, and cleaners is never up to the full complement, notwithstanding the often-heard advantages of a "Government billet." The Commissioners are now faced with the necessity for obtaining more hands to meet the traffic of the coming summer season, and although there are frequent calls for men they are slow in forthcoming.

Clothes on the Beach.—Charles Stevenson, a resident of Balmoral, discovered a heap of woman's clothing lying close to the water at Mosman Bay yesterday. The incident was full of suggestion of a tragedy, and Mr. Stevenson promptly communicated with the police. The unimpressionable policemen did not regard the discovery as mysterious at all. They carefully examined the clothing, and were immediately convinced that it was not the remaining evidence of a drowning case. To the police it is clear that a beggar has received a donation of clothes, and the fact that they were discovered on the beach is taken as evidence that the real object of the solicitation was money, not wearing apparel.

An advent of the spring is the reduction in the price of milk, which will gladly be welcomed by all householders. The Fresh Food and Ice Co. announce in another column that they intend reducing the retail price of their milk to 4d per quart as on and from the 15th instant.

PERSONAL.

Rear-Admiral Creswell left Melbourne yesterday for Sydney and Brisbane. He will be away about ten days.

The Federal Attorney-General (Mr. Hughes) has been prevented by illness from attending to his Parliamentary or departmental duties this week. His indisposition is attributed in some degree to the effects of overwork.

Dr. Wright, Primate of Australia, and Mrs. Wright arrived in Melbourne by the Adelaide express yesterday. Dr. Wright called on the Governor-General at Government House. Dr. and Mrs. Wright left later in the afternoon for Wangaratta, and after spending two days in that diocese they will return to Sydney.

Superintendent Allen, district railway superintendent at Sydney, has been transferred to Murrurundi. His place has been taken by Superintendent Smith, of Murrurundi.

At a meeting of the newly-formed Overseas Club last night a letter was read from Madame Melba, stating that she would be pleased to extend her patronage to the Sydney branch.

A smoke concert was held and a presentation made to Mr. T. Crealy on the occasion of his severing his connection with the railway mechanical staff to take up the more important duties of Chief Boiler Inspector of the Railways. The presentation, consisting of a gold watch, besides a silver teapot for Mrs. Crealy, was made by the State Premier, Mr. M'Gowen, on behalf of the boiler-making staff at the Eveleigh workshops. The Premier spoke in glowing terms of Mr. Crealy, whom he had known personally for 30 years.

Mr. L. W. Beagley, of the official staff of the Sydney branch of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, has been appointed deputy town clerk at Waverley.

Mr. D. A. Sheppard, who died at his residence, Drayton, Parramatta-road, Summer Hill, on Saturday, was for 32 years employed in the New South Wales railways, having been stationmaster at Lithgow, Narranders, and Picton. At the lastnamed place he was stationed for 22 years. He retired in 1907.

Our Wellington (N.Z.) correspondent telegraphed:—The death is announced of Mr. W. H. Quick, solicitor, of Wellington, a son of the Rev. W. A. Quick, who is still alive in Australia. Deceased served articles in Sydney under Sir George Wigram Allen, and was chancellor of the Wellington Anglican diocese since 1885.

STATE POLITICS.

DISSOLUTION DESIRED.

GULGONG, Wednesday.

At the Town Hall on Monday night Mr. Owen Gilbert, who was defeated at the recent by-election for the Mudgee seat, returned thanks to his supporters. He severely criticised Mr. Willis for his political treachery. He thought that the solution of the difficulty would be for the Governor to exercise his prerogative and dissolve Parliament, even if it was against the advice of his Ministers. Such a course could be done on extreme occasions, and this was one of them.

Mr. E. D. Stott moved,—"That this meeting expresses its emphatic disapproval and disgust at the action of Mr. Willis in so treacherously deserting his principles and party by accepting the Speakership at the present juncture. Further, that this meeting is of opinion that, in order to end the unsatisfactory conditions now existing in Parliament, the Governor should take the extreme step of dissolving the House, and thus cause an immediate appeal to the country."

Mr. T. Gudgeon seconded the motion, which was supported by Mr. Gilbert and the Mayor (Mr. A. Brigden), and carried without a dissentient.

The meeting then resolved to reform the local branch of the Liberal League, and to organise for immediate action.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

DISENTANGLING THE DIFFICULTIES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Rev. Father Shaw has now completed his station at King Island (Tas.), and to-day the Postmaster-General received the following message from him, sent by wireless between King Island and Randwick, Sydney, where the inventor has a powerful station:—"Greetings by wireless. Pleased to inform you that King Island station is now completed and working."

It was only after many exhortations that the Minister gave Father Shaw a temporary right to send and receive messages for the public, and he insisted that the Postal Department should share in all the revenue. The Government hopes that the wireless expert now approaching Melbourne from Great Britain will disentangle its wireless difficulties. He will first report upon the Fremantle and Sydney stations, and then visit all the States, with the view to the erection of a number of minor stations. A large sum will be placed on the Estimates to carry out the expert's scheme.

IMMIGRANTS' COMPLAINTS.

"ENTIRELY WITHOUT FOUNDATION."

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

In his report in connection with the inquiry into the charges made by immigrants by the steamer Oswestry Grange, Mr. Ranking, P.M., says among every large body of persons travelling by sea are always to be found dissatisfied individuals who, either from inherent defect of character or from inability to accustom themselves to novel surroundings, are continually on the alert to complain. It was probable that the whole of the complaints could be traced to the influence of one or more such individuals, who, taking advantage of the temporary irritation manifested by those of their fellow-passengers who had no previous experience of the inconvenience inseparable from life at sea, had incited the complainants to magnify trifling inconveniences into substantial grievances. He found that, with one exception, the complaints were entirely without foundation.

CHINESE WIFE.

MINISTER'S LATEST DECISION.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Temporary extension has been granted by the Minister for External Affairs (Mr. Batchelor) in the case of Mrs. Hop Poon Gooey, of Geelong. Permission was sought by Hop Poon Gooey for his wife to remain in Australia with him, the time granted in the first place having expired. This was refused by the Acting Minister of External Affairs (Senator Findley), whose decision was subsequently endorsed by Mr. Batchelor.

The Minister has now granted an extension of three months, and at the end of this period, unless a further extension is allowed, Mrs. Gooey will be compelled to return to China.

FEDERAL SESSION.

STILL ON THE ADDRESS.

AN OUTSPOKEN LABOUR MEMBER.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

For the sixth day the House of Representatives this afternoon turned its attention to the Address in Reply. Members are getting weary of the uneventful character of the debate, and at times there are hardly a dozen representatives of the people in the "National Parliament," as all sides insist on calling the Federal Parliament. Shortly after the House met a noble visitor was ushered into the Speaker's gallery by Mr. Deakin—Mr. H. B. Irving. Unfortunately for himself and the reputation of the House as a place for eloquence, Mr. Irving dropped in as Mr. Ozanne was speaking. Mr. Irving did not stay long. Three-quarters of an hour was sufficient for Mr. Ozanne to lecture the Opposition, and then with methodical regularity a member from the other side of the House, Sir Robert Best, rose. It will be quite a relief when all the Opposition has finished, for then the caucus majority will serve one good purpose—it will break the dreadful monotony of first a man from one side rising, and then a man from the other putting his views forward. However, this appears to be the rule, so it is observed.

If a stranger had dropped into the Chamber when the next speaker, Mr. Carr, was on his feet he would have had some trouble to identify him with any party, for he was castigating the Ministry as freely as the Opposition. He began by abusing Ministers for not sending troops to England. Then he advised them to be more careful in future before they put the referendum questions forward, and consult the States, as he had advised them to do before the last attempt to get the people's confidence. The proposal of the Government to let the Federal servants come under the Federal Conciliation and Arbitration Act he characterised as bad policy. The Government should be able to deal with its own servants, and not throw the responsibility on to a civil tribunal. For not giving effect to the Postal Commission's report the Government, he said, cast a slur on the members of the commission, and Mr. Carr was cheered on by members of the Opposition. But Ministers failed to see the joke, and Mr. Frazer, who was seated at the table, turned more than once and tried to stop this tirade against the Government by scowling at the speaker. Mr. Carr, however, was not to be stopped, and when Mr. Frazer turned once more he was repulsed by the member for Macquarie with "You needn't look at me like that. I mean every word I say. You were very good in this role once." After unburdening his soul Mr. Carr said that his remarks were not due to bitterness, but rather to jealousy of the reputation of his party.

The usual sequence was observed by Mr. Hans Irvine following Mr. Carr, and then after him came Mr. Cann, who told the House the true history of the Lithgow trouble from the men's point of view. As the story has been told many times already by union secretaries, Labour Ministers, and Labour members, it fell rather flat, but still it had to be told. Mr. Greene devoted most of his speech to criticising the financial proposals of the Government in a most able manner, but could not refrain from having a tilt at the Minister for Customs for his butter regulations.

The debate was adjourned at 10.29 p.m. till to-morrow.

In the Senate half a dozen members contributed to the debate on the Address in Reply. They certainly helped to fill "Hansard," but said nothing new.

TO ANTARCTICA.

DR. MAWSON'S EXPEDITION.

ENTHUSIASTIC PUBLIC MEETING.

SPEECH BY LORD DENMAN.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

A great audience crowded the Town Hall to-night to hear Dr. Douglas Mawson, who will lead the Australian Antarctic expedition. Amongst those present were the Governor-General, who presided, Lady Denman, the Prime Minister (Mr. Fisher), the leader of the Federal Opposition (Mr. Deakin), Senator Walker, and the Lord Mayor.

The Governor-General, in introducing the lecturer, said the plans for the expedition appealed to him. First, it was to be an Australian expedition, and the first of any kind which had sailed from Australian shores. Secondly, there were the scientific and practical purposes. These brave men would earn credit for themselves and Australia. The majority of the personnel was Australian. Because he admired the spirit of the men, because he was a believer in the objects of the expedition, and because he thought the expedition would redound to the credit of Australia, he appealed with confidence to the meeting to extend to Dr. Mawson and his gallant comrades its sympathy and support. (Applause.)

Dr. Mawson said that the expedition would rank amongst the greatest geographical undertakings of modern times. Without the support of the whole of Australia they could count on nothing.

The Prime Minister moved,—"That this meeting hails with satisfaction the prospect of an Australasian expedition under the leadership of Dr. Mawson for the exploration of the Australasian quadrant of the Antarctic Continent, and, recognising the importance of the undertaking on scientific and national grounds, cordially commends it to the sympathetic consideration and practical support of the people of Australia." He was sure that if the Australian people gave that support to the expedition to which it was entitled nothing but success would follow the efforts of Dr. Mawson.

In seconding the motion Mr. Deakin said he hoped the Commonwealth Government would assist the expedition.

Senator Walker, Professor Orme Masson, and Professor Henderson supported the motion, which was carried unanimously.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ASSISTS.

GRANT OF £5000.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

On the motion for the adjournment of the House of Representatives to-night, Mr. Wise (Vic.) asked the Prime Minister if the Government was in a position to give any information as regards its attitude to Dr. Mawson's Antarctic expedition.

The Prime Minister: The Government has considered the question of a subsidy to the Antarctic expedition, and has decided to recommend a grant of £5000.

Mr. Cook: Are you going to be beaten by New South Wales? They are giving £7000.

The Prime Minister: We have decided on £5000.

MELBA OPERA SEASON.

The growing favour of the Sydney public for Saint Saens' melodious opera, "Samsone e Dalila," was shown yesterday by a crowded matinee at Her Majesty's. Mr. G. L. Goodman likened the crush to that of a "wet Boxing Day." The house was the biggest that this opera has enjoyed. Mme. de Cisneros was in excellent voice, as was also Signor Zeni. Mr. Edmund Burke sang the role of the High Priest with great effect and dignity. The orchestra was in charge of Signor Sacerdote. This evening the same opera will be repeated, when the public will have an opportunity of hearing Mdlle. Voluntas-Ranzenberg, the Austrian contralto, as Dalila. Like Mme de Cisneros, to-night's Dalila is of Titanic proportions. She has appeared in the role with success on a number of occasions in Germany, and naturally considerable interest centres in her Australian debut in it.

The box plans for the third week of the season were made available at Paling's yesterday, when the biggest day's takings at the box office so far were recorded. To-morrow evening "La Boheme" will be given, and on Saturday the same composer's "Madame Butterfly" will have its first production with the Melba Company.

"Faust" was repeated before a large audience last night, with Mme. Korolewicz-Wayda in her much-admired impersonation of Marguerite, when Signor Ciccolini, newly made-up so as to resemble a Shakesperian character, proved in better voice than on the opening night, whilst Signor Zanelli as Valentine and Mlle. Ranzenberg as Siebel were again in the cast. An important change enabled Signor Dammacco to make a success as Mephisto. The basso has all the traditional business of the Italian stage at his fingers' ends, and from the moment of his suddenly dramatic appearance in the doorway at the back—the traditional entrance which is usually accompanied by insurgent clouds of ruddy vapour—he adroitly kept in view all the sardonic malevolence of an eagerly active devil. One of the artist's best effects was his breadth of vocal style in the opening, with the rapid descent of the full octave, which showed the big voice with its vibrato to much advantage. "Dio dell'or" was declaimed with much intensity, and Mephisto's pain before the raised crosses, and his struggles to face the reversed swords, added realism to the scene. Generally, Signor Dammacco presented a capital study of the accepted Mephisto of the Italian stage.

"THE" PIONEER.

DEATH OF MR. RUTHERFORD.

THE ORIGINAL "COBB AND CO."

AUSTRALIA'S FIRST IRON-MASTER.

James Rutherford, the Grand Old Man of Bathurst, principal of the firm of Cobb and Co., and one of the best known Australian pioneers, died yesterday at Mackay, Queensland, in his 85th year.

He was a pastoralist, with interests all over the eastern States. He was the pioneer iron-master of Australia. He blazed the track that the railroads followed. To Bathurst he was an open-hearted and open-pursed philanthropist. For many years the C.O.B. horses have been as well known in India as the C.O.B. wool is known in Bradford.

Coming to Australia from America 59 years ago, he threw himself with tireless energy into the pioneering work of the continent, and right up till his death was a prodigious worker. He personally supervised the work on all of his stations, visiting them regularly and in spite of his advanced age, making long and tiresome journeys, in a cape cart of his own design, to the outback stations of New South Wales and Queensland. In the early days it was the commonest thing for him to harness up at Bathurst, run out to Bourke, and then cut across to Central Queensland. His journeys on horseback when a young man were nothing short of extraordinary. A characteristic incident—one of many—is told of the first track across a particularly difficult bit of Queensland country, which had baffled the mail contractors. Mr. Rutherford climbed to the top of the highest hill in the vicinity and scanned the countryside. "There's the way," he said with, decision, "I'll get through;" and he did.

He was returning from one of his regular visits to the Diamantina and Warrego, and when at Mackay was attacked with bronchitis and heart failure resulted. He was accompanied by his son, Dr. A. H. Rutherford, and the body will be brought to Bathurst for interment. He first went to the western city in 1861, and had resided there ever since. To his original efforts in the direction of tree-planting, the picturesqueness of Bathurst is mainly due. He leaves a widow and ten children—five sons and five daughters. The latter are Mrs. H. Peden Steel, Mrs. Jas. M'Master, Mrs. J. F. Fitzharding, Mrs. Walter Scott (Glasgow), and Miss Rutherford, a Bachelor of Medicine in Sydney.

Mr. Rutherford had been since 1852 a prominent figure in the history of Victoria, New South Wales, and Queensland. Soon after arriving in Victoria he joined with Mr. A. W. Robertson, Mr. W. F. Whitney, Mr. Walter R. Hall, and Walter Bradley, and others in taking over the then firm of Cobb and Co., which in his hands became the premier of coaching and mail contracting throughout Australia. In the year 1862 Mr. Rutherford came to Bathurst, and from then until his death he remained a resident of the City of the Plains. With the most indefatigable energy, untiring industry, and with extraordinary success, he so organised the business of coaching and mail-carrying in this State and Queensland that the name of Cobb and Co. became a household word all over Australia. Cobb and Co. did not find the tracks, they made them.

Settling in Bathurst he immediately took an interest in the city. He was an alderman of the town for many years, and also occupied the mayoral chair. In the Agricultural Society for over 30 years he occupied the position of treasurer, and for many years was one of the vice-presidents, declining presidential office.

Mr. Rutherford was an ardent protectionist. In 1873 he, with Mr. John Sutherland and others, founded the Lithgow ironworks, which are now the cause of so much controversy in the State. They started with a capital of £100,000. After some years, when the original capital had been lost, and another £100,000 had to be paid, Mr. Rutherford succeeded to the management, and in a short time managed to turn the concern from a losing business into an industry returning a small amount on the right side of the ledger. These works were afterwards leased to Mr. Sandford, and ultimately sold to him.

He was one of the largest station owners in New South Wales and Queensland, and all his properties have been worked on the most scientific basis, and equipped with artesian well boring and up-to-date wool scouring plants. He was one of the best horse judges in Australia, and his familiar figure will be missed by the regulars at the Royal Agricultural Show, where he judged for so many years.

BATHURST, Wednesday.

It was with deep regret that Bathurst this afternoon learned of the death of Mr. James Rutherford, in Mackay, Queensland. Deceased, who was born in New York State in 1827, arrived in Victoria 26 years later.

The municipal council meeting, called for to-night, was adjourned, in consequence of Mr. Rutherford's death. A special meeting will probably be called for the purpose of arranging a public funeral, when the body arrives in Bathurst.

WHERE LEASEHOLD FAILS.

A CITY ILLUSTRATION.

TENANTS OF THE COOPER ESTATE.

400 ACRES ACQUIRED IN FEE SIMPLE.

The experience of Messrs. Raine and Horne with the Cooper estate throws an illuminating light upon the question of freehold versus leasehold.

For years efforts were made to deal with this rich Sydney property on a leasehold basis. The object was to encourage people to take up land and make their own homes upon easy terms, without the expense involved in purchase of a freehold title. It had all the elements of a fair test for what proved to be a most difficult proposition. Finally it seemed that the estate could not be best managed upon leasehold principles; at all events, those responsible for administering the estate decided to give the tenants the right of conversion.

Now the most remarkable development has taken place since that policy was initiated. Messrs. Raine and Horne report that they have disposed of the freehold of 200 acres in the municipality of Woollahra, which is one of the most progressive of the suburbs; 27 acres in the municipality of Redfern, where also solid development has taken place; 51 acres at Waterloo and Alexandria; and 125 acres at Neutral Bay, where the process of building, already noticed in our columns, has been proceeding at a rapid pace.

The trustees have therefore enabled their tenants to acquire a freehold of no less an area than 403 acres, all of which is within a 2d tram or ferry ride of the city.

To enable this to be done a system that bears lightly upon the tenants was adopted. Only a small deposit was demanded, and the balance of the purchase money was extended over 20 years, with interest at current rates.

The Cooper estate administration, in this respect, supplies a sterling illustration of freehold being the fundamental need of the tenant. There are no actual statistics to show the progress that has taken place in these residential areas, but it is patent to the casual observer that some of the localities once characterised by stagnation are now the scene of rapid civic development.

QUARANTINE REGULATIONS.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

A question has been asked why Dr. Page was not also placed in quarantine with the others who had been on board the steamer Van Linschoten.

The Commissioner for Health stated to-day that Dr. Page had been efficiently vaccinated, and required only disinfection of his clothes to be released under surveillance. If anyone else who came into contact with the ship had been vaccinated within the requirements of the Quarantine Act he or she would have been released in the same way. In fact, several customs officers who were vaccinated only last year had been released. Others who were not vaccinated were placed in quarantine.

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FRANCE'S REPLY.

SUBMITTED THIS WEEK.

QUESTIONS OF PRINCIPLE.

COMPENSATION OFFERS.

WAR RATES ADVANCE.

PARIS, Sept. 13.

It is semi-officially stated that M. de Selves, Minister for Foreign Affairs, in his draft reply to Germany, is most explicit on all questions of principle raised in the German proposals, especially as regards the necessity for maintaining economical equality among the Powers, and assuring France's political liberty in Morocco.

To-morrow M. de Selves will confer with M. Fallières, the President, and the reply will be forwarded to Berlin at the end of the week.

TERRITORIAL COMPENSATION.

WHAT FRANCE OFFERS.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Reuter's Agency learns from an authoritative source that, although the question of territorial compensation has momentarily been relegated to the background owing to Germany's new claims, France proposes to cede territory equal in extent to two-thirds of the area of France itself.

The proposed new territory will give Germany direct access to the Congo River, and thus facilitate eventual road and rail communication to German East Africa.

France is prepared to give Germany access to the sea at a bay south of the Spanish territory of Rio Muni, and slightly north of Libreville, French Congo; also the greater part of the navigable river Mobangi, a big tributary of the Congo. This portion of the French Congo is rich in rubber and ivory, and has valuable forests.

Further north, France is prepared to give Germany a triangular piece of territory in the Shari River district, adjoining the eastern boundary of the Cameroons, and extending to the tenth parallel.

On the other hand, France asks for portion of the German territory in the north Cameroons.

GERMANY'S CLAIMS.

PARIS, Sept. 13.

It is reported that Germany has claimed, among other things, 30 per cent. of all Moroccan public works allotted to French subjects.

WAR RISKS.

RATES AGAIN RISE.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

After dropping to five guineas per cent., the rates of insurance against the outbreak of a Franco-German war within two months have risen to 12 guineas per cent.

The insurances effected are mainly to cover depreciation in shares, but many cargoes have been covered.

GERMAN NAVAL RESERVISTS.

HOPEFUL INDICATION.

BERLIN, Sept. 12.

The discharge of naval reservists in September is being made as usual, showing that the negotiations with France in respect to Morocco are expected to be satisfactory.

THE MANNESMAN PARTY.

ARRIVAL AT AGADIR.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

A wireless message received at Tangiers states that Messrs. Mannesman's party have arrived at Agadir with an escort of 200 Moors from the Sus region, most of whom have sold their land to the German concessionaires.

GERMAN NAVAL MANOEUVRES.

IRRITATION IN DENMARK.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 13.

Forty German warships are manoeuvring in the Great Belt, and they have done a good deal of injury to the fishing fleet.

There is much irritation in Denmark over this encroachment upon territorial waters.

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King's Hall: Joseph Taylor's Lecture, 8.

BURNED OUT.

PAPANUI ABANDONED.

EMIGRANTS AT ST. HELENA.

ST. HELENA, Sept. 12.

The steamer Papanui, 6582 tons, owned by Messrs. H. C. Sleigh and H. B. Black, of Melbourne, bound from England to Australia, put in here yesterday with her bunkers on fire.

The emigrants, of whom there were a large number on board, have been landed, and the cargo is now being discharged.

[The above appeared in yesterday's second edition.]

Later.

The crew were engaged five days extinguishing the first fire in the bunkers, but another fire broke out after passing St. Helena, whereupon the captain returned to the island and moored close to the shore.

The male emigrants are housed in the barracks and the women in the military hospital.

ST. HELENA, Sept. 13.

The Papanui is now on fire from stem to stern, and has already been gutted.

She has been abandoned where she was beached.

The whole of her cargo was not landed.

The Papanui gained notoriety on many occasions. When in Melbourne in December last her then master (Captain Buchanan) took on a Filipino crew, and left Port Phillip contrary to an order issued by the Victorian Marine Board. The vessel was repaired at Nagasaki (Japan), and came back to Australia. She left Sydney, in command of Captain Thomas Moore (a very well-known mariner), in April last. She met with a mishap on her way home, while carrying passengers for the Coronation, but she got there just a day before the great event took place.

The Papanui's mishaps would fill a volume. In December, 1909, she struck a rock six miles west of the Waterhouse Island, in Bass Straits, at 8.30 p.m. The barque Kassa, observing signals of distress, went to the steamer's assistance, but the Papanui floated off easily after being aground for several hours. She went aground again the following year coming to Sydney from the south, and it was because of damages sustained then that the Victorian Marine Board took action respecting her seaworthiness.

Serious trouble befell the Papanui on two previous occasions. Towards the end of 1901, while on a voyage from New Zealand to London, she put into Vigo, Spain, in consequence of a fire in No. 3 hold. A large quantity of the cargo had to be jettisoned, including 38,000 carcases of mutton. In April, 1909, another fire occurred on the vessel while she was lying at Victoria Docks, London. Damage to the extent of £1000 was done to her on that occasion. After repairs had been effected she was laid up at home for some time, and then sailed for Wellington and Tasmania towards the end of October of that year.

IMMIGRATION.

VICTORIAN EXPERIMENT.

YOUTHFUL UNEMPLOYED.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

Prompted by the success of the West Ham experiment, the Victorian Government Agency intends to apply to other London boroughs for youthful unemployed emigrants.

Mr. M'Leod states that immediate employment awaits 1000 men in the building trade in Melbourne.

UNLICENSED PASSAGE BROKER.

PROSECUTED AND FINED.

Thomas Caslake, of Finchley, was today fined £5 with £4 8s costs at Highgate Police Court for acting as a passage broker without holding a license from the Board of Trade.

The prosecution was instituted at the instance of Mr. T. A. Coghlan, Agent-General for New South Wales, as Mr. Coghlan found it was necessary to protect intending emigrants.

UNREST IN CHINA.

DISTURBANCE AT CHINGTU.

TROOPS FIRE ON MOB.

PEKING, Sept. 12.

Huge crowds continued to surround the Viceroy's Yamen at Chingtu, protesting against the nationalisation of the railways.

Eventually the Viceroy ordered the troops to fire on the crowd, many of whom were killed or wounded.

DROWNED IN THE ELBE.

ELEVEN SOLDIERS PERISH.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

A detachment of Uhlans were crossing the Elbe River, when an officer and 10 men were drowned.

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Twenty-five Uhlans were manoeuvring with the Saxon army, and while engaged in reconnoitring sought to ford the Elbe, which was low owing to the drought.

They, however, unexpectedly struck some deep holes; the horses became restive, and threw their riders, and soon there was a struggling mass of men and horses in the river.

The Uhlans, being weighted with their heavy accoutrements, were unable to swim. Boats hastened to their assistance. Some on being rescued were restored by means of artificial respiration, but eleven were drowned.

DROUGHT IN ENGLAND.

SHORT WATER SUPPLY.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

Owing to the drought the cavalry divisional training has been abandoned.

At Manchester the water supply available is only sufficient for 26 days.

The water supply at Bradford, which provides for 24 towns and villages is scanty. Many wool-combers have been rendered idle.

BIG SCORING.

CHAMPION COUNTY V REST OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The match between the champion county (Warwickshire) and the Rest of England was resumed to-day at the Oval.

The Rest of England continued their innings and lost four wickets for 574.

Hobbs made 97, Mead 101, J. W. Hearne 52, and Warner 220 (unfinished).

It is rumoured that Hearne is likely to accompany the M.C.C. team to Australia.

DEAR FOOD RIOTS.

PARIS, Sept. 13.

The market disturbances continue in many districts, and rioting has occurred where the agents of the Confederation of Labour are present.

The Confederation is organising many meetings in the poorer parts of Paris.

Housewives in some districts are appropriating goods on their own terms when the vendors ask excessive prices.

RAILWAY DISPUTES.

ROYAL COMMISSION INQUIRY.

THE NON-UNIONISTS.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

At the sitting of the Railway Disputes Commission to-day a non-unionist testified that a majority of the men were against recognition of the unions.

The witness favoured sectional boards confined to the grades having grievances to investigate with an outside chairman.

He added that non-unionists would have to consider the question of organisation.

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A non-unionist signalman, in giving evidence before the Railway Disputes Commission yesterday, said that the agitation leading to the 1907 conciliation was the artificial product of the leaders of the Railway Servants' Society. The majority of the signalmen, he declared, did not desire the ultimatum demanding the recognition of the union, as they had obtained valuable concessions, and it was considered inopportune to make fresh excessive demands which had been the cause of the recent strike.

ANOTHER STRIKE HINTED.

The London and North-western railwaymen are agitating for a national strike unless the Board of Trade re-opens the award of Sir Edward Fry, which settled labour conditions for all grades until 1913.

The Midland railwaymen at Burton-on-Trent ask for a national strike unless the Board of Trade prevents the penalising of recent strikers.

COAL FOR THE NAVY.

SUPPLIES FOR DEPOTS.

RAPID DESPATCH EXPERIMENT.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The consignments of Welsh coal by the Admiralty for Scotland, Hull, Newcastle, and other ports by rail instead of by ship were made at a cost of 6s a ton extra.

The waggons were labelled "Urgent."

It is represented that the consignments were merely an experiment in rapid despatch.

In addition to the collieries on the Admiralty list other Welsh collieries have received urgent orders for steam coal.

AERONAUTICS.

"EYES OF THE ARMY."

LESSON OF GERMAN MANOEUVRES.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.

The army manoeuvres are being carried out in cloudless and windless weather, thus enabling the airmen to obtain complete details as to the disposition of both armies by 8 o'clock in the morning.

The dodge of sham entrenchments has proved useless, and experts believe that it will be hopeless henceforth to hide the movement of troops from an enemy in clear weather.

TRANS-AMERICAN FLIGHT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.

Mr. Fowler, the airman who is attempting to fly from San Francisco to New York, continued his journey to-day. After mounting skywards in an attempt to cross the Sierras the machine fell, the rudder failing to work, and the aeroplane was wrecked.

Mr. Fowler escaped with a few bruises.

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Fowler announces that he will continue his journey when his new machine arrives.

THE AREO MAIL.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Twenty bags of letters were conveyed from Hendon to Windsor by the aero mail yesterday. Three airmen were employed, and they maintained the service, despite a thick mist.

The service is to be continued until Saturday.

A WOMAN'S FEAT.

PARIS, Sept. 13.

Mdlle. Helene du Trieu, at Chalons, yesterday aeroplaned 143 miles, winning the "Femina" Cup.

SCHOOLBOY STRIKES.

REMARKABLE EPIDEMIC.

WIDESPREAD DISTURBANCES.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

There has been a continuance of the schoolboy strikes. At Ashton-under-Lyne, Grimsby, Bradford, Sheffield, and Hull hundreds of boys paraded the streets proclaiming that they demanded "less work and less cane."

The strikers at Hull stoned the teachers, and, marching to the school armed with broomsticks, intimidated the non-strikers.

There were some strikers at Salford, but the movement at Manchester collapsed, and all the truants were caned.

Disturbances took place at Hoxton, Islington, Enfield, Tottenham, Fulham, Clerkenwell, Kentishtown, and Stepney.

The strikers held meetings in the streets, then marched in processions, bearing cardboard banners, inscribed "No cane; more holidays in hot weather."

Crowds of mothers assembled at the various schools at closing time to take the strikers home.

The presence of policemen at Shoreditch and Islington schools prevented a renewal of the strikes there by the schoolboys.

FAKED BALLOT BOXES.

SENSATION IN CANADA.

EDMONTON (Alberta), Sept. 12.

A sensation was caused at a political meeting by the exhibition of a ballot-box which, by means of a secret wire, could be opened without breaking the seal.

A Conservative candidate asserted that 30 similar boxes had been despatched to various outlying districts.

RICE CROP FAILS.

A FAMINE THREATENED.

SINGAPORE, Sept. 12.

The failure of the rice crop in Siam is threatening a famine in Singapore.

Prices have doubled in three days. Coolie disturbances are feared.

MOUNT ETNA.

A VIOLENT ERUPTION.

INHABITANTS PANIC-STRICKEN.

ROME, Sept. 12.

Another crater has opened on Mount Etna.

Lava is descending at the rate of half a kilometre an hour.

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This eruption of Etna provides a grander spectacle than that of 1910.

Sixteen craters are belching forth fire and smoke, while from two lower craters lava is travelling at the rate of 400 yards per hour, ravaging the vineyards and destroying the cottages in its path.

The pine forests on the slopes of the mountain are burning fiercely, and there are incessant earthquakes, accompanied by noises like bombs exploding.

The inhabitants are panic-stricken, and are seeking safety on the plains.

Etna, or Monte Gibello, is on the east coast of Sicily. It is an almost circular, flattened cone, measuring 100 miles in circumference at the base, and rising to an altitude of 10,750ft. The crater wall has been broken down on the east side only, leaving a chasm—Valle del Bove—2000ft to 4000ft deep. The mountain is dotted over with large secondary cones. Its lower slopes, especially towards the south-east, are exceptionally fertile, well cultivated, and densely inhabited, but above 7000ft all is black and barren. An observatory has been built at the foot of the capping cone of ashes, about 1100ft from the summit.

Etna has been known as a volcano from the earliest ages, and eruptions are mentioned by Diodorus Siculus as happening in 1693 B.C. On the mountain were the fabled forges of the Cyclops, and it is called by Pindar the "Pillar of Heaven." The eruptions take place on an average after intervals of five or six years. They have not been violent on all occasions, but there have been many attended by disastrous results. One of the most stupendous occurred in 1669, when tens of thousands of persons perished in the streams of lava which rolled over the whole country for 40 days. In 1693 an eruption was accompanied by a fearful earthquake, which partly or totally destroyed 40 towns and caused the loss of from 60,000 to 100,000 lives. The most violent outbreaks during last century were in 1812, 1819, 1843, 1852, 1865, 1879, 1886, 1892, and 1899. On the last indicated occasion the observatory was damaged by falling debris. There was a slight eruption in 1906, and one from four craters in March of last year.

PORTUGAL.

ROYALIST PLOT DISCOVERED.

LISBON, Sept. 13.

A great Royalist plot has been discovered at Vianna do Castello, about 40 miles north-west of Oporto.

Many arrests have been made.

THE DAVIS CUP.

AMERICAN VICTORY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.

The American tennis players won the second round of the singles in the preliminary tie matches in connection with the Davis Cup.

Both the closing matches went through four sets.

M'Loughlin beat Dixon, the British captain, 8-6, 3-6, 6-3, 8-2.

Larned defeated Lowe, 8-3, 1-6, 7-5, 6-1.

M'Loughlin smashed around Dixon in a most spectacular fashion. In the last set he held the Englishman 4-0 before the latter scored a single game. His speed at the net won him the match.

The most notable feature of the second round of the singles is the defeat of Dixon by M'Loughlin, which was hardly expected here in view of the former's fine showing against Larned in the first round. Apparently the young American gave one of his brilliant exhibitions, when he is practically irresistible. America will now meet Australasia in the challenge tie at Christchurch (N.Z.) in December.

FAULTY BOOTS.

PROTECTING THE PURCHASER.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Acting Premier was interviewed to-day by a deputation from the boot manufacturers' section of the Victorian Chamber of Manufactures, with reference to the bill now before Parliament to regulate the manufacture and sale of footwear. They had noticed that the only fillers mentioned in the bill were cork and felt. Why these should have been selected they did not know. There were linoleum and other substances. Nothing was said about shank pieces, which manufacturers were bound to use. Many high class boots would escape. An alteration was desired in the clauses of the bill. They suggested several amendments which would not affect the object of the measure; but were necessary to allow the manufacture to proceed. Some of the very expensive imported shoes were partly filled with paper. Retailers should only be made responsible for the visible parts of footwear, stating the manufacturer. They had built up an interstate trade, and if manufacturers in other States were not under the same legislation the Victorian manufacturers would be at a disadvantage.

Mr. Watt, in reply, said the States were endeavouring to co-operate to protect the public. The Victorian Government did not desire to hamper trade, but by a simple way to ensure the severe punishment of the man who was determined to defraud. He would consult with the other States, and inform them of the suggested amendments to the bill. He could not hold out any hope that the retailer and producer would be omitted from the bill. He would consult some of the manufacturers before coming to a decision.

MOTORIST FINED.

CONTEMPT OF COURT.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Chief Justice to-day delivered judgment in a matter which arose out of an incident at the Prahran Police Court on August 17, when Daniel Lord, a motorist, who had been fined for an offence under the Motor Act, was dealth with by the Bench for having said in a low tone to Constable Rose, "You are a champion liar." When the matter was reported to the Bench, Mr. Morrison, P.M., ordered Lord to be taken out of the court and brought back. He was then fined £3 for contempt of court.

An order to review the decision was obtained on the ground that no court of petty sessions was sitting, and that there was no evidence of wilful misbehaviour.

The Chief Justice said he thought that the Justices were sitting in petty sessions, and that there was evidence to justify them in holding that the remarks were contempt, and he could not interfere with their finding. The order nisi would be dismissed, with £7 7s costs.

SUGAR AND IRON REGULATIONS.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The regulations under the Manufacturers' Encouragement (Iron Bonus) Act and the Sugar Bounty Act were amended by the Federal Executive Council to-day.

Under the Manufacturers' Encouragement Act regulations power was given to Collectors of Customs to appoint authorised persons to make inquiries into the businesses of manufacturers claiming the bonus. That power has now been removed from them, and placed in the hands of the Minister. The sugar regulations dealt with the bounty on beet sugar. Their operation was at first limited to the Maffra district, but by the amendment made to-day they apply to the whole of Australia. Notice of intention to claim the bounty must be given within 90 days after the planting of the crop.

NO DECISION.

MELBOURNE SHOOTING CASE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Acting Chief Secretary to-day received from Mr. Dwyer, P.M., his report upon the circumstances connected with the sensational encounter between Constable Sleddon and a young man named William Robinson, at Brunswick, on the night of July 18.

Mr. Dwyer intimates that he has been unable to come to any "judicial decision" upon the case.

IRON BOUNTY.

£54,000 PAID TO HOSKIN'S, LTD.

QUESTIONS IN PARLIAMENT.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the House of Representatives yesterday questions as to the iron bounty were asked.

Mr. M'Dougall (Vic.) asked what is the total amount of bounty paid by the Commonwealth to Hoskins, Ltd.

The Minister for Customs: £54,794.

Mr. M'Dougall: What proportion of the total has been paid by the present Government?

The Minister for Customs: £33,638.

Mr. M'Dougall: Did the Minister test the value of the guarantees of Hoskins, Ltd., as to the prescribed wages and conditions before paying the bounty?

The Minister for Customs: Yes, as far as practicable. Each manufacturer on making a claim for bounty is required to declare as to all wages paid and hours of labour, and that such wages are in no case below the standard rates of wages paid for similar labour in the locality in which the industry is situated.

Mr. M'Dougall: Is it true that Hoskins, Ltd., claimed and collected bounty on the strength of improper representation as to the prescribed wages and conditions, and, if so, what action does the Minister propose to take?

The Minister for Customs: There is no present evidence of any claim being made in connection with which the declaration as to wages is inaccurate. Statements, however, have been made to that effect, and I have directed special inquiry as to their accuracy.

Mr. M'Dougall: Did Hoskins, Ltd., claim bounty on suspected returns?

The Minister for Customs: A question did arise in regard to a proportion of the pig-iron produced from slag claimed to be the product of Australian ore, but in the absence of conclusive and satisfactory evidence as to its origin a proportion of the bounty claimed was disallowed.

POLICE COURT CASES.

INSULTING A WITNESS.

LITHGOW, Wednesday.

In addition to the riot cases two other cases arising from the strike were heard before the police magistrate yesterday and to-day. Hercules Henry Burke charged Elidge Sampson with using threatening language. Mr. Thompson appeared for the complainant, and Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Mr. Moffatt, of Sydney, for the defendant.

After the evidence for both sides had been heard, Mr. Armstrong addressed the Bench, maintaining that it was a storm in a tea cup.

The P.M. said on occasions such as the present, when there was industrial strife in town, things presented a different aspect to ordinary circumstances. He would bind defendant over to keep the peace for six months, self in £50, and one surety of £50, or two of £25, in default one month's imprisonment with hard labour. Defendant was also ordered to pay 7s court costs, and 21s complainant's costs, in default seven days' imprisonment with hard labour. He was allowed a fortnight to pay, but no time was allowed to find suruetie.

The police charged George Yates with using insulting language to Senior-sergeant Mackenzie in the Lithgow Court-house on September 12. Defendant pleaded not guilty. Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Mr. Moffatt, appeared for the defence.

The P.M. said he would like to know what could be more insulting than to use the words to an officer who had given evidence in court, "you make a mistake," "it is not true," and "you know it is not true." The fact that defendant was a magistrate made the offence all the more grievous. If it had happened in the Supreme Court he would have found himself in a place where victuals were free, and very sparing, too. He fined defendant £5, and 6s costs, or one month's imprisonment with hard labour. He also called on him to enter into recognisances, self in £40 and one surety of £40, to be of good behaviour for 12 months, in default two months' imprisonment with hard labour.

Mr. Armstrong asked for time to pay, say a fortnight; but the P.M. said he would give no time.

Two sets of cases, in which ironworks tunnel miners and others were summoned under the Masters and Servants Act by C. H. Hoskins, were adjourned until November 14, pending a decision being given by the Supreme Court in an appeal in a similar case.

RECENT RIOTS.

POLICE EVIDENCE.

Before the Police Magistrate the hearing was continued of the cases against Bernard Scully, Ernest Alfred Cooper, William Charles Hayes, John Edward Dixon, Edward Williams, Ross Kennedy, William Henry Delaney, and James Cairnes, charged with taking part in a riot at the blast furnace on August 29. Mr. Robison, of the Crown Law Office, appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Mr. Moffatt, for the defence.

Constable Hunt said he was on duty in Inch-street on the 29th ult. Bernard Scully was one of those ahead of the crowd. Hayes, Cooper, Delaney, and Williams were there. Cooper sang out, "Come on, men. Let us get to those scabs." At the first coke heap leading into the furnace Scully stopped and picked up a piece of coke in each hand, and said, "Come on, men. I will lead you to the furnace." Hayes sang out, "We're going into the furnace. Come on, men;" and the crowd immediately followed. The crowd started throwing stones and smashing windows. At the door he heard Sergeant Burn ask Delaney to to stop the crowd. Delaney said he would do his best. Delaney at that time was doing his best to stop the crowd.

Constable Quinlan, of Portland, said he heard Scully say, "Hoskins don't own a foot of this ground. It is God's heritage, and belongs to the masses. Hoskins won't meet us to-night. We will remain here until the morning. I have got the position I sought, and intend to hold it, as we have got the furnace hung up until the morning."

To Mr. Armstrong: He had seen a man in front of the non-unionists, but saw no dancing or gestures of contempt.

Constable Lucas said he heard Hayes say, "Come on, boys. We'll put those —— scabs out of this. Don't be afraid of the police. They are not game to fire." Just then Constable Bartlett put his hand on his baton, and Hayes called out, "Come on, boys. This —— John is drawing his revolver." The crowd made another rush at the steps, and Senior-sergeant Mackenzie called on the police to draw their revolvers. Hayes made a rush at the Senior-sergeant, and said, "Don't you dare shoot. If you attempt to shoot you are gone to the stars."

Constable Bressington said Scully, Dixon, and Hayes were the three principal people who led the crowd at the riot. Witness saw Delaney early in the rush. He was then endeavouring to stop the crowd.

Charles Henry Hoskins, a member of the firm of G. and C. Hoskins, said when he heard of the riot he went to the blast furnace. Delaney, Cairns, and another man were calling out for a conference. Witness spoke to Cairnes, and said he would see them at 10 o'clock next morning. Cairnes said, "That's no good to us," and left. A shower of missiles then struck the building. The damage done to property during the riot he estimated at £1000, which did not include the motor car, which was his private property. The damage to the motor car he estimated at £600. If the gas collected in the furnace had not been liberated it would have blown the top of the furnace off. Fortunately one of the foremen was on top that night, and liberated the gas. Otherwise there would have been a disastrous explosion.

Evidence was also given by Joseph Henderson, manager of the blast furnace; Cecil Harold Hoskins, Leo Buhl, and Henry Guildford Hoskins, all of whom were among the number locked in the engine-room during the riot.

This closed the evidence for the prosecution, and the Court adjourned till to-morrow morning.

IRON MOULDERS RESTIVE.

The members of the Iron, Brass, and Steel Moulders' Union are directly affected by the Lithgow trouble. A great deal of their work is upon Lithgow pig-iron, and ever since the strike commenced at Lithgow (where the members of the union have been out for some time) there has been a feeling of restlessness about handling this material. At a meeting of the union on Tuesday night the executive were instructed to inquire into the use of non-union produced pig-iron in foundries, and to consider the question of a strike of members called upon to handle non-union material.

At the meeting there were advocates of an immediate and indiscriminate strike.

A LENGTHY TRIAL.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The learned and lengthy arguments in the case of Varawa v Howard Smith came to a conclusion to-day before the High Court. The Court reserved its decision.

THE DISOWNED CADETS.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

NOT A FEDERAL CONTINGENT.

SENATOR PEARCE'S REMONSTRANCE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the Senate to-day, at the instance of Senator M'Dougall (N.S.W.), a precis of the correspondence in connection with the visit of the detachment of senior cadets from New South Wales under the command of Major Wynne to the Coronation celebrations was tabled.

In July, 1910, a proposal for sending a company of the cadets to England for training in 1911 was submitted by Major Wynne to Mr. Hughes, who transferred it to the Minister for Defence for consideration. It was proposed to raise one half of the funds for the expenses by donations from patriotic citizens, and to ask the Government to supplement these contributions on a basis of pound for pound. The Military Commandant of New South Wales was asked by the Minister for a report, and on July 15 he forwarded a communication from Major Wynne, who stated that the scheme was with some amendments the same as put before previous Ministers in 1909. The Adjutant-eneral did not recommend the adoption of the scheme, and, on August 6, the Minister minuted the papers, "not approved." Major Wynne was informed accordingly.

In October, 1910, Major Wynne resubmitted a scheme for sending a company of senior cadets to England for training, and for the despatch of a Commonwealth Coronation contingent. He was informed on October 20 that the Ministen could not approve of any expenditure in connection with the proposal to send cadets from the Commonwealth for training, but that the question of a contingent to attend the Coronation would be further considered. In response to a telegram sent by the Minister for Defence on October 16, 1910, the Military Commandant of New South Wales forwarded a proposal submitted by Major Wynne for the despatch of a contingent of senior cadets from New South Wales to attend the Coronation. The expenses were to be met by private donations, and the assistance of the Department was requested in (a) granting leave of absence to selected officers, non-commissioned and cadets; (b) issue on loan of arms and equipment; (c) issue of camp equipment during camp before embarkation; and (d) services of two non-commissioned officers of the instructional staff to assist at the preliminary camp. Major Wynne was informed on February 20, 1911, that the requests made under a, b, c, and d were granted, and that the Government would give recognition to the proposal only on the distinct understanding that no liability, financial or otherwise, in connection with the raising, sending, or returning of the contingent would be recognised by the Government.

Letters were sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies and to the High Commissioner informing them of the visit of the cadets and the terms on which the Government had accorded them recognition. As a result of an interview which Major Wynne had with the Minister on March 25 the Minister agreed among other things to (1) cable to the Imperial authorities as to a place being allotted to the cadets on Coronation Day; (2) to sanction the issue of equipment and the new pattern uniform if it could be got ready in time. Major Wynne was informed that the Minister was not inclined to make any representations to the War Office as regards barrack accommodation, and that the question of Major Dove being attached to the contingent as instructor would depend on whether the military authorities thought that he could be spared. Subsequently it was ascertained that he could not be spared to accompany the contingent, and Major Wynne was so informed. Major Dove was afterwards permitted to accompany the contingent as far as Melbourne.

While this correspondence was proceeding an invitation was received from Lord Roberts for the visit of 24 Commonwealth cadets to England in May and August, 1911, during the Roberts Imperial Competition. This offer was not accepted. Lord Roberts was thanked for his kind offer and informed that the Government had given recognition to the efforts of private citizens to send a contingent to England, and that his offer would be brought under their notice. Major Wynne and Captain Rushall, of Victoria, were "suitably" informed before embarkation. Major Wynne renewed his representations as to the Minister approaching the War Office in regard to barrack accommodation, and this was referred by the Acting Minister, Senator M'Gregor, to Senator Pearce, to be given him on arrival in London. Senator Pearce received the message at Rome, and replied that he could not alter his decision. Major Wynne was so informed by cable to him at Durban.

While in England Senator Pearce asked Major Buckle, the High Commissioner's military adviser, to see that accommodation was provided, and was informed that it had been provided. He also wrote a personal letter to Lord Haldane, Secretary of State for War, asking that the cadets should be given a place on the line of procession. A reply was received that this could be done, and that other facilities should also be arranged for on arrival of the cadets in London. The Minister went personally to meet them.

Major Wynne having cabled to the War Office direct, as officer commanding the Commonwealth Coronation contingent, the War Office appealed to Senator Pearce to know if a change had taken place in the decision of the Australian Government, communicated to it previously to the effect that no contingent was to be sent. The Minister replied that no change had taken place.

A wire was then sent to Major Wynne that the Minister had noticed in the press the message purporting to come from him to the King, and pointing out that the communication was sent irregularly, and that there was no justification for the assumption of the terms "officers and men of the Australian Coronation contingent."

LOSS OF AN EYE.

BARMEDMAN, Wednesday.

An eight year old daughter of Mr. John O'Dwyer, farmer, Barmedman, met with a painful accident. The girl was cutting a hole in a bag with a pocketknife, when the knife slipped and the blade entered one of her eyes, completely destroying the sight. The child was taken to Sydney, and placed under treatment.

BUFFALOES BREAK AWAY.

BLACKTOWN, Wednesday.

Great excitement was caused here yesterday afternoon by three buffalo bullocks (zebu cattle) breaking away while en route from Mr. Pye's property, where they were bred, to the circus in Parramatta. Several drovers were unable to prevent them from holding up both road and rail traffic for an hour. Eventually a mob of quiet cattle led them into a paddock, where they were securely yarded.

ASLEEP ON RAILWAY LINE.

TAMWORTH, Wednesday.

A most remarkable accident occurred on the railway line at Tamworth on Tuesday night. A man wandered on to the line near the viaduct in Marius-street, and lying down by the side of the track, went to sleep. He put his right leg over the rail, and when the first train came along it passed over the limb, crushing it to pulp, and practically severing it from the body.

The man's name is William Palmer, and his age about 40. He is single, and a stranger to the town. He came here from Narrabri, and was only discharged from the hospital on Monday last. He has no friends here, and is one of the wandering class.

VAN LINSCHOTEN.

IN QUARANTINE AT SEA.

It has been arranged that the steamer Van Linschoten will be allowed to sail for Melbourne with her crew on Sunday, the 15th inst. The period of quarantine expires on Tuesday. The crew will therefore spend the last days of their quarantine restriction at sea, and if no developments occur they will be freed at Melbourne. The lady passenger who is suffering from smallpox is reported to be progressing favourably.

QUEENSLAND BUSH FIRES.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

A message from Charleville states that large grass fires are raging on Alice Downs and Maryvale, and also south of Morven, travelling in the direction of Charleville.

AUSTRALIA EXCELS.

THE SCHOOLS' DISPLAY.

COMPARISON WITH ENGLISH CHILDREN.

MR. M'GOWEN'S IMPRESSIONS.

"Magnificent!" said Mr. M'Gowen, last night, in speaking of the afternoon's display. "It was a magnificent sight. That crown was splendid. They are well trained. If anything, I don't think they were up to what I saw at the time of the visit of the American fleet. That is to say, the numbers were not so great; but the display in regard to the formation of the crown was quite equal to anything I have ever seen."

When in England Mr. M'Gowen was present at a gathering of school children on the occasion of an exchange of flags. It was at Islington. "There were about 29,000 youngsters present," he said, "and I presented to the Princess Henry of Battenberg a flag from the children of our Public school, and received from her hands a similar flag. It was drizzling rain at the time, and they didn't seem to appear to the same advantage as our children did to-day. Most of the time I was there they were engaged in watching the ceremony and listening to an address the Mayor made, and one from myself, and also a few remarks by the Princess. They cheered with enthusiasm and seemed to be happy; but they were not seen in such favourable circumstances as those at the Cricket Ground. The sun wasn't shining like it does in Australia. There were any amount of poor children among them, and they didn't appear in uniform. Consequently they were at a disadvantage.

"Coming to another point—the matter of intelligence—the deportment of the children here seemed to me to be considerably in advance of the others. They looked better and drilled better. Altogether it was a splendid sight."

THE WESTERN PLAINS.

IRRIGATION SCHEME.

FUTURE GARDEN OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

AN EXPERT'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

DUBBO, Wednesday.

A scheme is taking definite shape to fertilise the western plains by means of irrigation.

Recently the Dubbo Progress Association decided to ask the Government for a special grant for the purpose of constructing a small weir across the Macquarie near the town for the purpose of imprisoning sufficient water for the establishment of rowing and swimming clubs and the holding of aquatic sports. This was a matter of merely local interest, but it has been sufficient to inspire many with enthusiasm, and is rapidly developing into a comprehensive scheme for the irrigation of those vast areas of the great western plains that may be included in what may be called the Macquarie basin.

The scheme first took definite shape as a result of investigations started for another purpose. The banks of the Macquarie at Dubbo are fully 35ft above the ordinary level of the water. Some years ago the Government of the day was approached with a view of damming the river below the town, just as was recently suggested by the Dubbo Progress Association, and for the same purpose. Officials of the Works Department conducted investigations at Terramungamine, a few miles below Dubbo, but the site was considered unsuitable. However, the practicability of a larger and national scheme suggested itself as a result of the inquiries and the observations made.

The Government, therefore, imported a gentleman from India (Mr. Ritchie), a man of wide experience in water conservation and irrigation in that country. The result of his labours along the upper and lower courses of the Macquarie was the evolution of the theory of the Watton dam, 12 miles below Bathurst, 210ft high, another dam below the junction of the Cudgegong and Macquarie, near Wellington, of like storage capacity, and an off-take weir at Old Narromine, with a storage capacity of 60ft deep.

Levels were taken by Mr. Ritchie at Dubbo, along the Talbragar River, at Narromine, Trangie, Warren, Nyngan, and Dandaloo, and these go to show that all these districts could be rendered independent of drought by the stored-up waters.

For instance, the crossing at Dubbo is 43ft above Narromine (summer level), and as the proposed off-take weir would be three miles above Narromine it might safely be laid down that 60ft of water at the off-take weir would throw 20ft of water at Dubbo, over the summer level. Twenty feet of water at Dubbo would mean good storage for irrigation purposes for miles above Dubbo, and for many miles, too, up the Talbragar, which joins the Macquarie a few miles below Dubbo.

It will thus be conceivable that the adoption of such a scheme would bring many acres of some of the richest soils in the world under intense cultivation. Irrigation in America, it is said, has been the means of increasing the agricultural population of the States by 10,000,000, taking collateral occupations into account. Twenty years ago very few people had even a dim perception of what desert land is worth when water is got upon it. It is the kind of knowledge that will yet make the Western plains the garden of New South Wales. The United States Government has spent about £15,000,000 in carrying waste water to waste lands. Those who are promoting the scheme urge that £3,000,000 should be spent by the Government of New South Wales in converting the western plains, by the carrying out of the Macquarie irrigation scheme, into the most productive part of the earth.

SUPPOSED TIDAL WAVE.

IN THE ISLANDS.

KNIGHT OF ST. GEORGE WRECK.

Captain Stephens, the master of the steamer Knight of St. George, which crashed on to a reef at Nukualofa last month, writes as follows to Messrs. Gibbs, Bolton, and Co., agents for the Knights Steamship Company, under date Nukualofa, September 1:—

"I am afraid there is very little chance of my vessel ever floating off the reef, as she is badly holed both fore and aft. The forehold and the afterhold are both full of water, and she has been subject to volcanic shocks, which are fast settling her on to the reef. I have salved cargo valued about £10,000, and if the weather keeps on like it is at present, I will probably land all my general cargo some time next week, leaving the lower holds full of lumber, which will not perish so long as the hull lasts. I attribute the disaster to the volcanic disturbances which have prevailed round these islands lately, causing a tidal wave, and setting us nine miles out and ahead of our course in one hour and a half. My crew are Chinamen shipped in England, and must be returned to a port at home. As agents for my owners, I want you to arrange to send them either to England or China on their arrival in Sydney; also my officers and engineers."

FIRE IN A BOOKSHOP.

The ringing of a fire alarm in Angus and Robertson's book shop, Castlereagh-street, last night, was the means of attracting a large crowd. The outbreak had occurred at the back of the basement, and on the arrival of the brigade was almost extinguished by the automatic sprinkler with which the premises are fitted.

"MADE IN NEW ZEALAND."

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Wednesday.

Giving evidence before the Arbitration Court at Napier, a witness in the drapery line declared that one-third of the woollen goods labelled "made in New Zealand" really came from England.

CROSS-EXAMINED.

PREMIER AND SPEAKER

DISSOLUTION ISSUE.

MR. M'GOWEN CAUTIOUS

A BURIED MYSTERY.

The crowded galleries in the Legislative Assembly last night followed with keen interest the proceedings during question time. Mr. Wade made an unsuccessful attempt to get from the Premier a definite endorsement of statements made by Mr. Holman and Mr. Beeby to the effect that Parliament would be dissolved either before or shortly after Christmas. The Speaker was cross-examined as to his methods of conducting the business of the House; various notices of motion dissenting from his ruling were tabled; and Mr. Levy, who has been pressing for the production of the caucus-Willis agreement, had the astonishing information vouchsafed from the Chair that in all probability his curiosity on that point never would be satisfied.

HEDGING ON THE DISSOLUTION.

Mr. Wade: In view of the statement made by the Attorney-General and the Minister for Lands as to an appeal to the country within a few months, whether the Premier was prepared to endorse those statements.

The Minister for Mines (disgustedly): Oh, go to the country.

The Premier: It is an utter impossibility for me to state when this House will be dissolved. There are two things that must be done before there can possibly be an appeal to the country. First, the new Electoral Bill must be brought into operation, and, next, the report of the Redistribution Commissioners must be received and adopted by this House.

Mr. Perry (Richmond) asked whether the cost of collecting rolls by the police now proceeding would not be wasted because, if a redistribution of seats took place, there would have to be a fresh collection?

The Premier said that a rearrangement of boundaries presupposed that the House at the time in existence did not represent the people. After the next rearrangement of boundaries had been brought before the House and accepted, there must, in accordance with the custom, be an appeal to the country. That was what precluded him from saying when the dissolution would take place.

Mr. J. Storey (to Opposition members): It will take place when you get over here, not before.

Mr. Wade asked the Premier whether, if it turned out that the redistribution could not take place for 15 months, he would give effect to the promise of his colleagues to dissolve Parliament shortly before or shortly after Christmas.

The Premier: The hon. member knows he is putting a hypothetical case. The duty of the Government is to see that when the next House is created it will be created in such a manner that it can constitutionally do the business of the country without having its position assailed.

Mr. Cohen asked the Premier when there had ever been a redistribution on account of the report of a census.

The Premier: I have already made a statement that I believe there has been a case.

Mr. Cohen: There never has been one.

The Premier: I am telling you it ought to be done. (Loud Opposition laughter.)

Mr. David Storey: In view of the seeming impossibility of conducting the business of the country during the life of this Parliament, will the Premier resign at once, and go to the country forthwith. (Cheers and disorder.)

The Minister for Mines: Oh, go and get your hair cut. (Great laughter.)

MR. SPEAKER'S METHODS.

COMMENTS IN THE PRESS.

Colonel Onslow asked if the Speaker had noticed that his conduct towards the leader of the Opposition was described by the "S. M. Herald" as a grave public scandal.

Mr. Henley: And it is quite true.

The Speaker: If the hon. member can vouch for the correctness of that statement, I shall be able to answer it. (Opposition laughter.) I would point out to the hon. member that it is a libel upon the Speaker, and the newspaper is liable to be brought before Parliament. (Ministerial cheers.)

Mr. Thrower: Fire them out of the gallery.

The Speaker: If the hon. member desires to bring the newspaper report before the House there is a procedure by which it can be dealt with, as undoubtedly that would be a libel upon the Speaker.

Mr. Cusack asked the Speaker whether his attention had been drawn to a statement in the public press, wherein the leader of the Opposition was reported to have given utterance to certain remarks at Young concerning the Speaker.

Mr. Bruntnell: I would like to ask you, Mr. Speaker, whether this House can take any notice of what appears in the public press? (Great laughter.)

The Speaker: I would point out that the Speaker does not read the papers. (Loud laughter.)

An Opposition member: Your education is sadly neglected.

"WHY WAS I REMOVED?"

Mr. Wood: I desire to know what offence against Parliament, or against the Chair, led you to order my removal from the Chamber last night?

The Speaker: The hon. member had infringed the Standing Orders.

Mr. Wood: In what way?

The Speaker: And was removed on my authority.

Mr. Wood: In what way?

Mr. Speaker: On my authority.

Mr. Wood: Is it claimed that there is an inherent power in the Speaker of this House to remove hon. members whether they have committed any offence or not.?

The Speaker: This is the second time the hon. member has asked the question. I tell him once more that on the authority of the Standing Orders he was removed, and, further, if he persists in putting questions to me on the subject after having been twice told that he is out of order I will have to notice it.

THE CAUCUS—WILLIS AGREEMENT.

"DISORDERLY QUESTIONS."

Mr. Levy asked the Speaker why a question of which he gave notice on the previous day relating to the agreement between the Attorney-General and the member for Upper Hunter had not been allowd to appear on the business paper.

The Speaker: The question was out of order. On one or more occasions the same question has been asked in the House.

Mr. Levy: But are you aware that the question has never been answered, and that the Attorney-General requested me last week to put it when the censure debate was over. Surely I have a right to ask a question until such time as I get either an answer or a refusal to answer.

The Speaker: The hon. member must not discuss the question he is putting to the Chair. The question is out of order. If the hon. member will see me in my room.—(loud laughter).

Mr. Levy (emphatically): No, sir, I will not see you in your room. (Laughter.)

The Speaker: The hon. member is out of order. When the Speaker is on his feet he must be heard in silence.

Mr. Bruntnell: Has the Premier read the document or agreement between Mr. Holman and Mr. Willis? If not, will he do so, and make a statement to the House and the country?

The Speaker: The hon. member is out of order. That question was repeatedly asked.

Mr. Levy: And never answered.

The Speaker: And in all probability it never will be answered. (Loud laughter.) I am glad to have the support of the House—(great laughter)—in not permitting irrelevant questions. (Laughter.)

EIGHTEEN MONTHS OFF.

It was declared by Mr. Wade on Tuesday that about 50 weeks would elapse after the passing of the Amending Electoral Bill before a general election could take place. It is more than likely that it will be considerably over that length of time—possibly 18 months—before the legal and mechanical processes can be completed to enable it to take place. The bill provides that schedules shall be left at dwelling-houses by the police, and after time has elapsed to enable them to be filled in they have to be collected again, an acknowledgment or receipt being given for them. Some millions of forms have to be printed, including these newly-designed schedules and receipts. Regulations under the new law take some considerable time to pass, and it is calculated, taking everything into account, that to fulfil the bare requirements will mean that dissolution and elections cannot possibly [illegible] to pass until the beginning of 1913.

DISSENT MOTION.

PREVARICATION CHARGE.

One of the incidents of a privilege debate last week was the remark addressed by the Speaker to the leader of the Opposition: "I fear that the hon. member is prevaricating." Mr. Wade at once moved,—"That the words be taken down," a formula equivalent to charging the Speaker with disorderly conduct, but the

Speaker declined to receive the motion, and ruled it out of order, on the ground that the procedure was obsolete. Last night Dr. Arthur moved,—"That the House dissents from this ruling." He said that to prevaricate, according to Webster, was to deviate from the truth, to quibble, or to be guilty of falsehood. Such an expression coming from any member of the House was unparliamentary, and particularly so from a Speaker, who, as custodian of the rights and privileges of members, should treat even the meanest representative respectfully.

Mr. D. Storey thought the whole difficulty could be satisfactorily overcome if the Speaker apologised to the hon. member concerned. The greatest men had on occasions expressed regret for inadvertences, and if the Speaker were to make amends in the manner he suggested the time of the House would not be needlessly wasted.

The Minister for Lands submitted that the Speaker was the competent authority to judge whether words used in the debate were disorderly or not.

Mr. Levy: He judges his own faults, then.

The Minister for Lands: Someone must have that power.

Mr. Wood: And if you call a man a liar——.

The Speaker: That objectionable word must be withdrawn.

Mr. Wood: I withdraw. (Laughter.)

The Minister for Lands, continuing, said that no words could be taken down unless the Speaker held that they were disorderly.

Mr. Levy: We can't take a point of order against a Speaker, and the only way in which we can have our objection on record is by moving that the words be taken down.

The Speaker said that it was irregular to discuss the conduct of the Speaker. He was the mouthpiece of the House, and spoke for the House, not for himself. If members consulted him in his room—(loud laughter)—he might be able to advise them as to the method in which business could be conducted decently and orderly. (Laughter.)

The motion was defeated by 33 votes to 27.

TRAMWAY CONGESTION.

EASTERN SUBURBS RAILWAY.

The adjournment of the Assembly was moved by Colonel Onslow to discuss the inadequacy of the Sydney and suburban tramway service, and the dangers arising out of the congestion of traffic. He said that the tramway traffic had got into a condition that threatened danger to life and limb. Such conditions would not be tolerated from a privately-owned service.

The Minister for Works: I have here a motion to refer the construction of the eastern suburbs railway to the Public Works Committee.

Colonel Onslow said he heartily welcomed this announcement. If he had known the Minister's intention he would not have moved the adjournment.

Mr. D. Storey said that the overcrowding of the trams constituted a grave danger to public life.

Mr. Meagher said that the Government had already announced that they intended to deal with the matter by constructing an eastern suburbs railway.

Mr. Parkes said that a circular railway was the first requisite to connect the city with the suburbs.

Mr. Fell advocated a comprehensive railway system, to embrace the northern suburbs.

Mr. Latimer thought the question should be dealt with on practical lines. A city line of railway was urgently required to relieve the great demands made on the tramway system.

Mr. Cohen said a great mistake had been made in not building the Central Railway Station more into the city.

Mr. Kelly thought the administration of the tramways should be put in the hands of the Tramway Commissioner exclusively.

The motion was formally negatived.

DIVIDED AUTHORITY.

WHY HE RESIGNED.

DR. BASEDOW'S EXPLANATION.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

Considerable surprise was expressed at the sudden resignation of Dr. Basedow from the position of Chief Medical Officer and Protector of Aborigines of the Northern Territory.

He returned to Adelaide by the Melbourne express on Wednesday, and in explaining the reasons which actuated him in retiring, he said: "I have until the present refused to make any statement regarding my somewhat sudden resignation, as I considered it my duty to interview the Minister for External Affairs in Melbourne before doing so. Mr. Batchelor has now informed me that there is no objection on his part to any explanation being given by me to the Press. Briefly put, the main reason for my action was that after I had reached Darwin the Department of External Affairs in Melbourne took from me the responsibilities of administration of my department and certain other privileges which I was entitled to under sections 4, 6, 8, and 22 of the Northern Territory Aborigines Act, 1910. Further, I was to be placed under the jurisdiction of the acting administrator in Port Darwin, who himself frankly admitted that in the absence of any direct and particular instructions concerning my position he neither could have, nor wished to have, anything to do with my department, because he realised that interference or divided authority would sooner or later result in anything but success. Subsequently the Acting Administrator was directed by the Minister in Melbourne to issue to me whatever instructions he considered necessary. To have acted nominally through the Administrator I might not have objected to, but as head of a professional department I was certainly not going to take my instructions from anybody. I wanted to make my recommendations and suggestions personally for the approval of the political head.

"A request for opportunity to discuss the critical situation and various urgent amendments to the Act with the Minister when I was passing through Melbourne on my way to Alice Springs, which I had been asked to report upon, was refused. Consequently, much to my personal regret and disappointment, I had to adopt the only other course open to me. The main principle and the golden rule observed by the Imperial Government in connection with the occupation and settlement of the new territory is to trust the man on the spot, [illegible] that in this case it was not done expres[illegible] the whole situation in a nutshell."

TALLOW SALES.

LONDON, Sept. 13, 1.30 p.m.

At the sales of Australian and New Zealand tallow to-day 1384 casks were offered, and 1283 sold. The prices were:—Mutton: Fine, 39/9; medium, 36/. Beef: Fine, 36/3; medium, 34/.

CASUALTIES.

FALL OF 14 FEET.

Charles Neave, 44, a plumber, residing at Bourke-street, Surry Hills, fell from a building on which he was working in Oxford-street yesterday, a distance of about 14ft., sustaining injuries to the back and lacerations about the head. The Civil Ambulance rendered first aid, and conveyed him to Sydney Hospital, where he was admitted by Dr. McCartney.

FATAL FALL DOWN SHIP'S HOLD.

Henry H. Wales, a marine surveyor, lately residing at Neutral Bay, who fell down the hold of the Van Linschoten on Tuesday night, died at Sydney Hospital early yesterday morning.

FATAL FALL FROM A WINDOW.

Ernest Rugg, caterer, latterly residing at the Golden Fleece Hotel, and a native of the Isle of Wight, fell from a window at that hotel yesterday, and was instantly killed. It appears that the deceased had returned to the above address, and having found his room door locked tried to enter the room by climbing through the window by means of a verandah roof. In entering the window he grasped a box of flowers, which proved insecurely fastened, and gave way. He fell heavily a distance of about 11ft. The Civil Ambulance conveyed him to Sydney Hospital, where life was pronounced extinct.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

FOREST REEFS, Wednesday.

[illegible] are the results of last month's shoot, [illegible]:—Captain E. Streatfield, 49; E. Ra[illegible], [illegible] Streatfield, 45; P. Nesbitt, 45; P. Redmond, 45; V. Mundy, 45; F. Webster, 43; A. Starr, 41; [illegible] Starr, 41; T. Donlan, 41; J. Thompson, 40; H. Wilson, 39; F. Marshall, 39; G. Stanford, 38; T. Howell, 37; E. Donlan, 37; J. Wills, 36.

HARGRAVES, Wednesday.

On Saturday last the following scores were made in connection with the Mitchell medals, conditions seven shots at 500 and 600 yards:—H. Sibley, 33, 35—68; W. Campbell, 32, 32—64; W. B. Suttor, 35, 29—64; L. Neil, 32, 31—63; C. Warry, 30, 30—60; B. Campbell, 32, 28—60; A. Dowell, 31, 28—59; A. A. Suttor, 30, 28—58; A. Sibley, 27, 31—58; W. Hockey, 30, 24—54; E. Sibley, 32, 22—54; P. Pilley, 25, 27—52.

WINDSOR, Wednesday.

In the eleventh shoot in the September quarter of the Windsor Rifle Club over 500 and 600 yards handicap, limit 65, the scores were:—Res. J. W. Ross, 32, 32 (3)—65; Res. A. J. M'Donald, 33, 30 (4)—65; Res. A. L. Fletcher, 29, 34 (scr)—63; Res. F. G. Ross, 31, 24 (8)—63; Res. E. G. Greentree, 28, 30 (4)—62; Res. R. Easy, 30, 27 (5)—62; Res. W. Hipwell, 25, 33 (3)—61; Res. J. A. Jacobs, 23, 25 (10)—58; Res. R. Hobbs, 18, 28 (8)—51; Res. T. M. Mitchell, 16, 24 (scr)—40.

PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

The Speaker took the chair at half-past 7 o'clock.

PUBLIC WORKS PROPOSALS.

APPROVAL SOUGHT.

The Minister for Works gave notice in the Legislative Assembly last night of his intention to move that the following schemes, as recommended by the Public Works Committee, be carried out:—

Railways from Dunedoo to Coonabarabran, from Wagga Wagga to Tumbarumba, from Parkes to Peak Hill, from Tullamore to Tottenham, from Forbes to Stockinbingal, from Muswellbrook to Merriwa, and the railway deviation between Waterfall and Otford.

Sewerage scheme for Vaucluse; completion of the harbour works at the entrance to the Manning River.

DALGETY SIDING BILL.

SELECT COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Mr. Gillies, on behalf of Mr. M'Laurin, moved that the Dalgety Siding Bill be considered and reported on by a select committee consisting of Messrs. Griffith, Briner, Kelly, M'Garry, Thomas, Levien, H. Morton, Ball, Page, and M'Laurin. The motion was carried.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

The PREMIER, in reply to Mr. Fitzpatrick, who asked if the Government intended to proceed with the repeal of the Coercion Act and the Conversion Act, said he would make an announcement at an early date o' the legislation which the Government intended to submit to the House during the present session.

In reply to Mr. Minahan, the PREMIER said he had been informed by the Inspector-General of Police that it was intended to increase the clothes allowance from £7 to £10 per annum from January 1 next in the case of police whose duties necessitated their wearing plain clothes, but not as to those who were permitted to wear plain clothes for their own convenience, and whose duties, so far as the department was concerned, could as well be performed in uniform, which the department was prepared to supply.

In reply to Mr. Thrower, the PREMIER said that, approximately, 80,000 tons of coal were at present stocked in the various railway depots of the State. This coal was valued at £31,366. The loss by depreciation was practically nil, as the coal was not allowed to remain long enough in stock to permit of depreciation.

In reply to Mr. Perry (Richmond), the PREMIER said that Mr. Paul, now reporting on the iron industry, was formerly general manager of the Steel Company of Scotland, Glasgow.

In reply to Dr. Arthur, the PREMIER said that when in London he had several conferences with the Federal Prime Minister on matters of common interest, including immigration, but no definite arrangement was come [to i]n regard to the latter matter.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS, in reply to Mr. Perry (Richmond), said he had 63 men at the work at Hornsby under Mr. Fitzgerald. Messrs. Wake and Baxter were engaged on the works in the capacity of inspectors. Up to August 19, the date of the last return prepared, expenditure upon construction was £977. The work was being carried out by day labour.

In reply to Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Minister said that Mr. S. E. Hutton occupied the position of manager of the State brickworks, with salary at the rate of £50 per month. Mr. Hutton stood as a Labour candidate at four general elections. In reply to a further question, the Minister said the line of railway constructed from Rookwood to the pipeline, in connection with the Sydney water supply, had a length of 1 mile 72 chains, and the estimated cost was £14,500. Brickworks had been established in the vicinity of the line, and access would be provided for carriage of bricks.

APPOINTMENT OF MINISTERS.

Mr. WADE asked: Have the members for Leichhardt (Mr. Carmichael) and Castlereagh (Mr. Trefle) been appointed as Ministers of Education and Agriculture respectively, or are they merely appointed to discharge the duties of those offices under the Constitution Act?

The PREMIER: Mr. Carmichael has been appointed Minister for Public Instruction and Minister for Labour and Industry. Mr. Trefle has been empowered, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution Act, to exercise the powers and perform the official duties and be responsible for the obligations appertaining or annexed to the office of Minister of Agriculture. These facts were made public in the "Government Gazette" of September 11.

MURRUMBIDGEE IRRIGATION SETTLEMENT.

Dr. Arthur asked when the Murrumbidgee irrigation settlement would be thrown open, and what steps were being taken to advertise the attractions of the settlement.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS: The first subdivision will be available for application for settlement in January next. A preliminary pamphlet has been in circulation throughout the Australian States for the last three months, setting out generally the conditions under which settlement will take place. Other literature and advertising material are now in course of preparation for dissemination in the United Kingdom and the United States.

ELECTORAL BILL.

THE ASYLUM VOTE.

Debate took place on the motion that a message be sent to the Legislative Council covering amendments made in the Parliamentary Elections (Amendment) Bill.

Mr. WADE said that as the message read it contained a statement that the House disagreed with the amendment made by the Council excising the provision concerning the asylum vote, though the Premier had announced on the previous day that the Government had decided to accept the Council's alteration. They should include in the message what was the matured intention of the Government. The only course was to let the thing alone altogether, or so frame the message that it would represent the view of the Government, and not be a contradiction of their expressed opinion. The bill should not be advanced beyond its present stage, at all events for the life of this Parliament. If the message was carried they would delay the expressed intention of the Government when they called the Parliament together for a brief session. It was obvious that, if the bill was advanced, delays would occur to prevent an appeal to the country. He protested against the motion being carried, as it would stultify the House and the Government.

Mr. LEVY pointed out the inconsistent attitude of the Government with regard to the bill. The Government had agreed to accept the Council's amendment as to the asylum vote, but now they were submitting a message to dissent from the amendment. The message would not convey the sense of the House.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS said that the majority of the House had not changed its opinion on the matter, as had been suggested. The Government held definite views with regard to the asylum vote, but recognised that it was not in a sufficiently strong position to force its views on the Legislative Council.

The motion was agreed to.

THE WEATHER.

During Tuesday afternoon, due to the influence of the disturbance over the Tasman Sea, rather squally conditions were experienced generally over New South Wales; but fine weather ruled for the most part, excepting for cloud area in the south-east quadrant. At Woolgoolga the force of a moderate gale was attained, from the south-east, the seas on parts of the coast were becoming disturbed, and at 7 p.m. were rough to the north. During Tuesday night or early yesterday morning a few light scattered showers occurred on the north coast, the seas were only slight to moderate, and the weather had improved generally, the winds dropping to a light breeze. Only three places reported rain, viz., Byron Bay 8 points, Clarence 4, and Ballina 1. In the forenoon it was fine generally, but cloudy at places in the south-east corner, and at a few places on the north coast.

The highest temperature reported was 85 degrees at Brewarrina and Mungindi; and the lowest (on the north-west slope) 27 degrees at Bundarra. A few other places scattered on the highlands were below 32 degrees, and some frosts were recorded.

In the city during the greater part of Tuesday rather threatening conditions prevailed, but during the night or early morning the sky cleared, and fine, pleasant conditions ruled.

ADELAIDE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

Messrs. Elder, Smith, and Co., Ltd., report:—To-day 800 cattle were offered. Over half were of interstate origin, with a much better selection of quality. Competition was less spirited, but there was a splendid market with little alteration in late extreme quotations. We sold 290 cattle. Under 11,000 sheep were offered, including 4500 fats from New South Wales. Generally there was a good market, especially for prime classes, but other grades were fairly plentiful, and were a shade easier. Shippers and graziers bought late, securing 2800. About 6500 lambs were yarded. There was a full attendance of exporters and a brighter market. Values were firmer in all classes, closing fairly strong. Freezers bought 3000. We sold 4500 sheep and lambs.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The death is announced of the Most Rev. William Alexander, D.D., late Primate of all Ireland.

The Life Saving Society entertained at a farewell supper Z. G. Finlay, the Western Australian swimmer, and gave him an enthusiastic send-off.

Mr. J. C. Williamson has engaged Miss Hilda Spong, actress, who will open an Australian tour in Sydney in December in the American play, "Everywoman."

Sir George Reid's medical adviser has forbidden him to attend the forthcoming Anti-Alcoholic Conference at The Hague.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

The Earl of Dudley has arrived at Witley Court, his residence in Worcestershire.

A public subscription is being formed with a view to presenting E. Barry, who defeated W. Fogwell on Monday in the match for the sculling championship of England, with a special cup.

The Rev. Sidney Swann, vicar of Crosby Ravensworth, Westmorland, rowed from Dover to Calais in a 20ft skiff in 3h 50m—the record.

Vice-Admiral Sir Hedworth Lambton has assumed the surname of Meux on succeeding to the estate of the late Lady Meux.

It was a condition of Lady Meux's will that if Sir Hedworth did not assume the name and arms of Meux, instead of Lambton, within a year after succeeding to the estate, or if he discontinued the use of the name and arms of Meux, the property would immediately devolve upon his step-daughter, the Hon. Edith Cadogan, second daughter of Lady Lambton, by her marriage with the late Lord Chelsea.

EDINBURGH, Sept. 13.

St. Andrews University is celebrating its quingentenary.

MADRID, Sept. 12.

The trades unions in Bilbao have declared a general strike.

SEATTLE, Sept. 12.

The wooden steamer Ramona, while bound south from Skagway, ran ashore and became a total loss on the Spanish Islands, off the Alaskan coast. A wireless message brought aid, and the passengers were rescued.

BOSTON, Sept. 13.

The State of Maine, by a narrow majority, has refused to repeal prohibition.

PARIS, Sept. 13.

M. Hostrowisky, a well-known Russian newspaper writer, who was recently arrested in connection with the theft of some Phoenician statuettes from the Palace of the Louvre, and who was suspected of being concerned in the disappearance of the "Mona Lisa" from the same museum, has now been released.

LABOUR TROUBLES.

WHEELERS' STRIKE.

NO PROSPECT OF SETTLMENT.

NEWCASTLE, Wednesday.

There is no prospect of a settlement of the wheelers' strike. The attempts of the officers of the Colliery Employees' Federation to bring about peace have proved futile. As far as can be seen now the strike is likely to eventually fall beneath its own weight. The federation is not likely to pay 1200 men on the victimised scale for very long. The wheelers' grievances are not of such a nature as to excite a great amount of sympathy on their behalf. At present it looks as if the miserable affair will drag tardily along until it collapses beneath its own dead weight.

The management at Wallsend colliery say that the wheelers' grievances will be removed if they return to work. Until they resume, however, the management refuses to discuss the matter.

NOT ON STRIKE.

"MERELY CEASED WORK."

BUILDING OPERATIONS HAMPERED.

PERTH, Wednesday.

The Crown to-day prosecuted a number of the tip-carters who during last month, on the master declining to increase wages from 9s to 10s a day, ceased work. The charge was that of participating in a strike contrary to the Arbitration Act, the men having hung up work on buildings in progress for three days, and resumed on the demands being granted.

The defendants contended that they were not on strike, but merely exercising their individual right to decline to work for less than they considered adequate remuneration. Decision was reserved.

The brickmakers, who have stopped work at all yards except that supplying the new Trades Hall-building with bricks, also declare they are not striking—only ceasing work.

The plumbers, who demand an all-round minimum of 13s a day and 48 hours a week, also repudiate the idea of being on strike. Six have arranged to leave for Victoria on Saturday to work at 12s a day, 44 hours a week.

The Collie miners, who have reduced a colliery to idleness because a miner discharged has not been reinstated, also insist they are not striking, but merely ceasing work.

STATE PARLIAMENTS.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, Wednesday.

In the Assembly on Tuesday evening leave was given to bring in a bill enabling Frank Broomfield Rathbone to take up lands at Port Davey, establish mills and axe and tool handle factories, and jetties, wharfs, and other work, and utilise the water power, and construct tramways at Port Davey. At present there is no settled population there.

Mr. Whitsitt, who sits on the Government side of the House, has given notice that he will move the following motion:—"That, in the opinion of the House, the Ministry is incapable of protecting, developing, and managing the assets of this State."

The notice was received with Opposition laughter, and calls of "Another breakaway."

The Wages Board Act Amending Bill second reading was moved. It deletes the reputable employers clause, which, the Premier said, had been found unworkable, and substitutes a clause providing that the boards shall fix fair and reasonable wages, having regard to all conditions.

Mr. Woods, a Labour member, said the Labour party did not approve of the wages boards system, preferring arbitration.

OVERSEAS CLUB.

A meeting of the Overseas' Club was held at the School of Arts, Pitt-street, last night. Dr. Arthur, M.L.A., presided.

Mr. S. R. Hutchin stated that branches had been formed at Newcastle, Goulburn, Wollongong, Barraba, Narrabri, and Moss Vale. The Sydney branch, which was formed six months ago, had now 800 members, whilst there were about 1500 other members who had joined direct with headquarters at London.

Already nearly 2000 branches had been formed in various parts of the world, and the total membership was over 15,000.

A code of rules for the Sydney branch was adopted. It was decided that the members should wear a badge. The floral emblem of the club is the sweet-pea.

The office-bearers are:—President, Dr. Arthur, M.L.A.; vice-presidents, Messrs. T. R. Roydhouse, Walter Bentley, and Alexander Forsyth; treasurer, Mr. F. H. Slipper; hon. secretaries, Messrs. S. R. Hutchin and Frederick Bruce.

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FEDERAL PARLIAMENT.

THE SENATE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER).

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The President took the Chair at 3 p.m.

Senator Story (S.A.) gave notice of his intention to move that two months' leave of absence be granted to Senator Guthrie, who is ill in England.

ADDRESS IN REPLY.

The debate on the Address in Reply was resumed by Senator St. Leger, who contended that the Federal Land Tax had hit the workers. Immediately upon the imposition of the tax, the rents of offices and small cottages went up.

Senator De Largie (W.A.): Who got the increased rentals?

Senator St. Ledger: The landlord.

Senator De Largie: Then tax the landlord a bit more.

Senator St. Ledger hoped that the Commonwealth Government would take early steps to deal with the State debts. In dealing with that subject he would not be a party to restricting the borrowing powers of the States. The Agent-General of New South Wales (Mr. Coghlan), a high financial authority, had expressed the opinion that the six States singly could do better in London in the borrowing line than the Commonwealth. Investors at Home showed a desire to distribute their investments.

Senator Givens (Queensland) thought that the removal of the sugar duty would end in disaster. By hurting the Colonial Sugar Company the employees would also suffer injury.

Senator De Largie: That's the trouble. The most effective way to deal with the Colonial Sugar Company was either to buy it out or start a rival refinery and distributing business.

In the course of his speech, Senator M'Coll referred to the Minister for External Affairs as a Yankee.

Senator Needham: That is a cowardly thing to say.

A number of interjections followed, a Senator calling one of his colleagues "a political thug."

Senator Russell (Vic.) defended the administration of the Government during the recess. He asked Senator McColl which of the Labour measures he would repeal.

Senator Millen (N.S.W.): How, for instance, can you repeal the Notes Issue Act, when you have the money out on fixed periods.

Senator McDougall (N.S.W.) called attention to Mr. David Fell's, M.L.A., attitude in connection with the federal referendum. Australia could do with immigrants; but, unfortunately, a class of immigrant was coming for which the Commonwealth had no place. Clerks were arriving here in large numbers and flooding the market. Any Government that imported clerks simply did so "as a menace to the Labour movement." He was always willing to extend the hand of fellowship to people from the home land; but if there was no work for them it was better that they should not make the journey. (Hear, hear.)

Senator Rae (N.S.W.) said that Senator Millen had remarked that the Labour party got more than a fair deal from the Sydney daily press. If that were so, why was the Labour party so keen on starting a daily of its own. Again, Senator Millen stated that the Labour people were compelled to pay levies towards the paper fund. As a matter of fact, the A.W.U. had already voluntarily contributed £30,000 towards that fund. The present Victorian opposition to Yass-Canberra was unwarranted. The prizes offered for designs for the Federal city were totally inadequate.

The debate was adjourned, and at 10.30 p.m. the House rose till to-morrow.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER).

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Speaker took the chair at 2.30 p.m.

TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

The Minister for Home Affairs gave notice of his intention to bring in a bill for the construction of a railway from Kalgoorlie (W.A.) to Port Augusta (S.A.), the acquisition of the necessary land, appointment of officers, making of changes, and appropriation of money in connection with such railway.

EXAMINATION OF CADETS.

Mr. Frazer (hon. Minister) told Mr. Charlton (N.S.W.) that the policy of the Defence Department will be to have the examinations of cadets carried out under such conditions as to give the greatest possible consideration to the cadets.

FEDERAL CAPITAL DESIGNS.

Mr. W. E. Johnston (N.S.W.) asked the Minister for Home Affairs a question respecting the calling of designs for the Federal capital.

Mr. O'Malley replied: We are not calling for designs for buildings. We are not calling designs for town planning, and that town planning takes three professions—engineering, surveying, and architecture." The board would be appointed—engineer, architect, and surveyor—and that board would be an Australian board, composed of Australian professional men that all Australians would have confidence in. The suggestion was to bring an architect from England and an architect from America at enormous expense. When they were calling for designs for buildings that would be another matter.

Mr. Page: That is quite clear—as clear as mud. (Laughter.)

Mr. Cann (N.S.W.) was told by the hon. Minister (Mr. Frazer) that the Defence Department was pushing on with all possible expedition the matter of supplying cadets with uniforms and equipment.

THE ADDRESS IN REPLY.

CRITICAL LABOUR MEMBER.

The debate on the Address in Reply was resumed.

Mr. Ozane (Vic.) testified to the loyalty of the Labour party, and upheld the programme of the Government.

Sir Robert Best (Vic.) thought that Mr. Deakin did right in making the references he did to loyalty. His speech was highly fitting at this stage in view of the disloyal sentiments that had been expressed by labour. Australia did not ignore those sentiments, and it was only right that the House should be afforded an opportunity to show that Australia did not agree with them. It was deplorable that the Government should have failed to maintain the Canadian-Australian mail service. It would be better to pay a heavy subsidy than to lose the service altogether. The Government should also press forward with the negotiations for a reciprocity treaty with Canada. The Government attitude to the tariff was disappointing. A commission should have been appointed long ago to assist the Minister. Manufacturers were right in refusing to give the Minister all the details of their business, as he asked them in his circular. He regretted the encouragement that was being given by paid organisers to antagonism to arbitration and goodwill between employers and employees. Mr. Page had said he hoped that employees would never give up the right to strike. If that was indicative of the views of the Labour party, the House was only going through a farce in bringing in arbitration laws, which were only being made to be broken.

Mr. Carr (N.S.W.) said he agreed with the Government on questions of policy, but he wanted to say that he thought the Government should, before it again submitted the referendum proposals, exercise a little more discretion than was exercised before submission on the last occasion. It should take into its confidence the members of its own party in the other States before launching these propositions. He had urged that view, privately, but unavailingly, before the referendum was taken; but the Ministry seemed to have a false sense of dignity, and sheltered behind certain formalities in the constitution of the party.

Mr. Catts (N.S.W.): It would have made no difference.

Mr. Carr: The Government should have shown the spirit of conciliation and compromise that it demands in the civil world from others. (Opposition cheers.)

Continuing, he complained of the Government's negligence in not sending home troops to the Coronation. He did not think that the Government was disloyal, but still the opportunity should not have been missed to show the Empire that Australia was as loyal as the other dominions. He would like to see the provisions of the Invalid Pension Act amended so that invalids earning 10s a week could draw a pension. He regretted that no mention was made in the Governor's Speech of the report of the Postal Commission. He regarded these omissions as a reflection on the intelligence of the House. It was also a slight on those members who composed the commission. He could not agree with the Government's intention of giving Federal servants the benefits of the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act. It looked as if the Government was shirking the responsibility of dealing with its own servants, and he hoped the Government would not go on with its proposals. He objected to the Public Service Commissioner reporting on the report of the Postal Commission, as he was virtually a defendant in the matter. The Government should do all in its power to encourage immigration. If there were not enough ships the Government should charter vessels and bring people from Europe. The Government should pay their passages if necessary.

Mr. Hans Irvine (Vic.) claimed that the Government had full power to deal with monopolies. If he was Minister for Customs he would deal with the Colonial Sugar Refining Company in 24 hours. He would send it a mandatory letter demanding the reduction of the price of sugar by £4, the amount it had increased the quotations by within the last two or three months. If the Labour party was sincere in its protestations against trusts and monopolies it should force the Government to do something to bring the Sugar Company to heel. There was power to do so under the Constitution. Although there was much talk about trusts and monopolies, the only real monopoly in Australia was the Sugar Company.

Mr. Cann (N.S.W.) said that a great deal of capital had been made out of the referendum. As far as 1913 was concerned he was not afraid, and he thought he would get a majority for the proposals. He was a member of the Coal Miners' Union, and contended that if the union was on strike he could use his influence to help the cause.

Mr. W. H. Irvine: Even if you break the law you made here.

Mr. Cann said if he had his way he would wipe strikes out. He wished all troubles could be settled amicably. He found that trouble was started as often by the employers as by the employees. If it was good enough to put down strikes by gaoling union secretaries then it was good enough to gaol employers who caused strikes and lockouts. (Opposition members: Hear, hear.) He was not opposed to immigration so much; but there was a pitiable lack of organisation. Shiploads of miners were coming to New South Wales, where many men could only get five days' work a fortnight.

Mr. Greene (N.S.W.) referred to the waste of money incurred by the referendum.

Mr. Frazer: That was the first ray of sunshine you have had for years.

Mr. Greene: It was more than a ray—it was a whole sunrise all at once. The Ministry were to blame for the sugar strike. If the Government had not turned down the commission that had been appointed there would have been no strike. The Minister of Customs had power to regulate the wages of anybody in the sugar trade and fields. He could make the wages 10s a day. It was the Minister who made them 7s, and could have as easily made them 10s. Instead of regulating the wages, he told the men that their demands were not excessive, and he advised them to go on with the strike. There was no reason for the strike, or for the attitude of the Government which it took up in the middle of the trouble. The Attorney-General made statements to the press which he knew, or ought to have known, were incorrect. Mr. Hughes said that people were paying £600,000 a year in the way of bounty, and that was not so. The bounty did not come from the people, but from the growers. He warned the Government to keep an ample reserve available against its note issue, to meet any emergency that might arise. The Commonwealth was in effect giving the banks £5,250,000 of Commonwealth security for nothing. The Commonwealth had lost money by the way the issue had been manipulated. He thought that the Government should never start a bank. He did not think the Government could force money rates down very much. If they insisted on doing so they would soon be bankrupt. The Government before launching any scheme should appoint a commission to inquire into the matter. The inquiry should be carried out by men who had passed their lives in banking. Referring to the butter regulations, he said that the Minister for Customs had taken £75,000 a year out of the producers' pockets and put it into the pockets of the speculator. The Government had played deliberately into the hands of speculators against the advice of the members of all parties, and nearly all the co-operative factories in Australia.

At 10.25 the debate was adjourned till to-morrow. The House adjourned at 10.35.

CROCODILES AND ALLIGATORS.

Mr. A. Meston, Director of the Queensland Government Bureau in Sydney, writes as follows:—"In Dr. Woolnough's report of his experiences in the Northern Territory he mentions seeing 'crocodiles' in one place and 'alligators' in another. This, from a professedly scientific man, appears somewhat unpardonable. Science for at least 40 years has known that there are no alligators in any part of Australia; that there are no alligators in any part of the world except in China and North America.

"The two saurians of North Australia are true crocodiles. One lives entirely in fresh water, and the other is equally at home in fresh, brackish, or salt water. I have lived in country inhabited by both; shot scores of them, and studied their habits carefully, from the Cape York Peninsula to Port Essington.

"The first discovery of a crocodile in Australia is credited to H.M.S. Rattlesnake, on her cruise along the north coast of the present Queensland in 1848, in that memorable year when she landed the doomed Kennedy's party at Rockingham Bay, on April 24. At Cape Grafton, near the present Cairns, M'Gillivray, the naturalist of the Rattlesnake, found a saurian skull, which Gray declared to be identical with that of the crocodile of the Ganges. In after years this was named 'Crocodilus porosus,' the present large crocodile of North Queensland and North Australia.

"Inland, on the fresh water heads of the Gulf rivers, and the adjoining lagoons, is a small and harmless crocodile, first called 'Philas Johnstonei,' and finally 'Crocodilus Johnstonei,' the second name being that of the late Sub-inspector Johnstone, a well-known officer of the Queensland native police, and police magistrate. A little over two years ago I was surprised to find this small crocodile in the Laura River, west of Cooktown, my first knowledge that he lived in eastern waters; and the aboriginals informed me that nowhere south or north of that river was this crocodile known to cross the Dividing Range. This C. Johnstonei is rarely longer than seven or eight feet, whereas C. porosus grows to a length of 25 feet, and is a saurian against whom it is well to be continually on guard.

"It is time we heard the last mention of 'alligators' in Australia. That may well be left to people who could not distinguish a crocodile from a dugong."

SAIL TRAINING.

ARRIVAL OF THE JOHN MURRAY.

The barque formerly known as the Loch Ryan, which was purchased by the Victorian Government several months ago for a training ship, and renamed John Murray, arrived in Port Jackson yesterday afternoon, and anchored in Neutral Bay. She made a fast passage of four days from Melbourne. She had fairly good weather until Tuesday, when she encountered strong winds on the southern coast. This is her first sea cruise, since undergoing extensive alterations. The cadets behaved well, and took a keen interest in their sail-training.

"PLUMS OF PRESBYTERIANISM."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your report of the meeting of the Presbytery of Sydney in to-day's issue, headed "Plums of Presbyterianism," conveys a wrong impression, which I ask space to correct. I am quoted as saying that "Mr. Ferguson had shown a petty, miserable, and jealous spirit." I certainly criticised Mr. Ferguson's speech as an unfortunate utterance, in view of the facts of the case as explained by Dr. Burgess, and regretted Mr. Ferguson's attitude to the Stanmore call. I indicated that Mr. Ferguson's intervention in this matter might tend to encourage a wrong spirit in a section of our clergy, and in closing I made a plea against the entrance of any petty and jealous spirit towards ministers coming to us from Great Britain. But it was as far from my thoughts as it would be from the truth to say that there is anything "petty" in the large-hearted minister of St. Stephen's, and he is a man in whom the evil spirit of "jealousy" has not even an occasional dwelling.

I am, etc., RONALD G. MACINTYRE.

St. Andrew's College, Sept. 13.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The majority of Presbyterians will, I think, be greatly disappointed in the attitude taken up by our very esteemed and reverend pastor, the Rev. John Ferguson, in regard to the settlement of new and young ministers in the charges of the Church.

It was my privilege recently to hear a discourse from a newly licensed young student equal to many of the best, and surpassed by few, that I have heard from our shining lights.

What opportunity for continued study and improvement would a young man like this have in a back country charge, and what waste of good material!

Now, as to ex-country ministers in city and suburban charges; were it not unkindly, I could enumerate a good half-dozen whom it would have been better to have retained in the country, where they were appreciated, instead of settling them in the town and suburbs, where they are not, and where they are resting from their past labours, and the work is getting out of their hands and beyond them.

We want young, energetic men for our new suburbs, men of up-to-date training and thought, fresh and vigorous, in touch with the young men who must form the Church of the future.

The congregations are still free agents in the choice of their ministers, and are very unlikely to resign that right, and Mr. Ferguson's notice of motion, if carried, will prove abortive and only cause useless friction.

There has been much legislation of late years depriving congregations of their liberties, but the old fighting spirit of our fathers is not dead enough yet to allow the right of free choice to be taken away.

When once a minister is settled it is next to impossible to exchange him, therefore, we will hold to our right in the first instance.

I am, etc., AN OLD PRESBYTERIAN.

Sept. 13.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—Sept. 13.

Kakapo, s, 1521 tons, Captain Huxley, from Newcastle. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Mamari, s, 7062 tons, Captain Holmes, from Newcastle. Dalgety and Co., Ltd., agents.

Westralia, s, 2884 tons, Captain Keil, from Hobart. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

John Murray, Victorian Government training ship, 1200 tons, from Melbourne.

COASTWISE.—Hunter, s, from Newcastle; Macquarie, s, from Port Macquarie; Yulgilbar, s, from the Macleay River; Hastings, s, Uralla, s, and Moruya, s, all from the South Coast; Tuncurry, s, and Ballangarra, s, both from Cape Hawke; Moruya, s, and Mokau, s, from the Tweed; Bellinger, s, from the North Coast.

DEPARTURES.—Sept. 13.

Wakatipu, s, for Launceston.

Wimmera, s, for Auckland and other New Zealand ports.

Pacifique, F.M.S., for Noumea and the New Hebrides.

Barwon, s, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

Burwah, s, for Rockhampton, via Brisbane.

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Clan Menzies, s, for London and Antwerp, via ports.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—Sept. 14.

Erina, s, for Gosford, Woy Woy, and Brisbane Water; Yulgilbar, s, for the Macleay River, via Newcastle; Macquarie, s, for Port Macquarie; Hillmeads, s, for Moruya; Merimbula, s, for the South Coast; Newcastle, s, for Newcastle; Wee Clyde, s, for Ulladulla; Tuncurry, s, for Cape Hawke; Ramornie, s, for the Richmond River; Kakapo, s, for Strahan; Clan Macphee, s, for Brisbane; Chillagoe, s, for Rockhampton, via Newcastle; Period, s, for Port Pirie, via Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—Sept. 13.

Wimmera, s, 3022 tons, Captain Waller, for Auckland and other N.Z. ports. Passengers—Messrs. E. M'Donnell, E. Hewins, A. J. Powell, J. Eva, G. Rava, H. Murdock, A. Pfeiffer, J. Broad, Rev. H. Allen Job, Delaney, R. Cuthbert, T. W. Brook, A. Tooman, H. Sydney Smith, F. E. Mason, E. B. Haywood, H. Hayr, M. Foley, P. E. St. Linton, D. J. Quinn, A. Erickson, C. Woodman, D. H. M'Kenzie, Dr. Macdonald, Messrs. P. Robinson, J. W. Davies, A. J. Parker, A. G. Thynne, H. S. Walker, A. Kalman, E. G. George, R. M'Aulay, G. H. Mackay, J. Guerke, H. J. Carpenter, W. C. Dimock, W. R. Allison, M. Taylor, and G. J. Miller, Mesdames A. J. Parker and child, A. G. Thynne, A. Stock, M'Dowell, Hamilton, E. G. George and child, M'Aulay, J. Guerke, H. J. Carpenter, K. Collins, H. A. Job and infant, Hunter, M'Donald, Frericks and infant, C. T. Godby, Shaw, Codrington and child, Lynn, E. M'Donnell, C. Hall; Misses Hamilton, Guerke, Murray, Hunter (2), and Lynn.

Burwah, s, 3000 tons, Captain Snow, for Brisbane and Rockhampton.

Schlesien, s, 5536 tons, Captain Leuss, for Bremen, via Adelaide.

Pacifique, F.M.S., 1938 tons, Charvin, for the New Hebrides and Noumea.

Wakatipu, s, 1945 tons, Captain Graham, for Launceston, via Eden.

Period, s, 5000 tons, Captain Sprott, for Port Pirie, via Newcastle.

Chillagoe, s, 2000 tons, Captain Bailey, for Rockhampton, via Newcastle.

Hymettus, s, 4606 tons, Captain Wilkinson, for Colombo, via Newcastle.

Clan Menzies, s, 3669 tons, Captain Anderson, for London, via Fremantle.

Clan Macphee, s, 5165 tons, Captain Ody, for London and Antwerp, via Brisbane.

ENTERED OUTWARDS.—Sept. 13.

St. Louis, s, for Noumea.

Dredging is going on at the southern end of the N.D.L. wharfs, West Circular Quay, this being the beginning of changes which the Harbour Trust Commissioners intend making in the allotment of berths.

Pera, s, left Brown's wharf for the Central Wharf yesterday at noon.

St. Louis, s, will remove from Cowper's wharf to Pyrmont No. 1 at 6.30 a.m. to-day.

Gleaner, Am. bqtn., will go from Neutral Bay to Jubilee Dock at 2 p.m. to-day.

Hymettus, s, goes into Woolwich Dock to-day.

Prinz Waldemar, s, will remain in Mort's Dock over to-day.

Wairora, s, left Suva at 10 a.m. yesterday for Auckland with a cargo of sugar.

Kanowna, s, will be floated out of Woolwich Dock to-day.

Captain Worral, who is to bring out the Union Company's new steamer Maunganui, left New Zealand for London by the Arawa on the 8th inst.

MOVEMENTS OF OVERSEA VESSELS.

Guthrie, s (Burns, Philp line), left Thursday Island on Tuesday. She is due at Sydney on Thursday week.

Malaita, s (Burns, Philp), which was to have left Vila on Tuesday, should reach Sydney on Sept. 22.

Anchises, s, left Capetown on Monday.

Ormuz, R.M.S., left Colombo for Australia on Sunday.

BOTTLE DRIFTS.

Some extraordinary bottle drifts are noted in the records of the Hydrographic Bureau of Washington, the longest being 6000 miles. This bottle was cast overboard off the coast of South Carolina on February 8, 1901, and was thrown up on the Nassau Island, in the Bahamas, 1608 days later. Its average drift was 3¾ miles a day. The fastest long distance drift on record is credited to a bottle thrown into the sea from the old Hamburg-Amerika liner Furst Bismarck, on May 1, 1898, about 350 miles south-east of Cape Race. Three months later it was picked up at Gluckstadt, on the Elbe, having travelled 2400 miles, at the rate of 26 miles a day.

WHALING INDUSTRY.

The announcement that two whaling companies had been formed in Norway to conduct operations in Australian waters gives an interest to the following from the Christiana "Morgenblad":—"Attention was first directed to the abundance of whales in the southern seas by Captain A. Larsen, of Sandefjord, who was in command of the Antarctic at the time of the Nordenskjolds South Pole expedition (1903-4). He stated that on arrival at Buenos Ayres that the seas literally swarmed with whales, and he had a company formed there to operate among them. On arrival in Norway, however, no one was impressed with his story, and it was only when the South American company achieved remarkable results that the mania for similar undertakings became prevalent in Norway. The result is that since 1905, there have been 29 whaling companies formed there, independent of the two to exploit Australian waters. Their aggregate capital is 18,060,000 kroner, and their gross earnings in 1910 was nearly 20,000,000 kroner. This year it is expected to be very much more.

R.M.S. ORONTES DUE TO-DAY.

The Orient Company's R.M.S. Orontes, from London, via ports, passed Green Cape yesterday afternoon at 3.20 o'clock, and should reach Port Jackson at an early hour this morning. She will go alongside the Orient wharf, east Circular Quay, the space being made available by the removal of the R.M.S. Ophir to the N.D.L. wharf at the other side of the Quay.

THE YAWATA MARU.

The Japanese mail steamer Yawata Maru, which left Thursday Island at 1 p.m. on Tuesday with cargo and passengers for Queensland ports, has also 932 tons and 35 bags of mails for Sydney, 645 tons and 19 bags of mails for Melbourne. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co. are advised that there are four Chinese for Sydney and eight for Melbourne.

GLEBE ISLAND BRIDGE.

The Harbour Trust Commissioners notify that the Glebe Island bridge will be open for the passage of vessels at any time on any day of the week, including Sunday, excepting between the hours of 5.30 a.m. and 6 a.m., 8 a.m., and 9 a.m., 12 (noon), and 12.15 p.m., 12.45 p.m. and 1.15 p.m., 1.45 p.m. and 2 p.m., 5.45 p.m. and 6.15 p.m.

FRESH CHARTERS.

Earl of Forfar, s, 4446 tons, Melbourne or Geelong to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Hornby Castle, s, 2712 tons, Port Pirie to Antwerp—concentrates; Baver Clyde, s, 3315 tons (time charter), Newcastle to Altata and Guaymas—coal; Titania, s, 3513 tons, Newcastle to San Francisco—coal; Amphitrite, sh, 1683 tons, Newcastle to West Coast—coal; Carl Rudgert Vinnen, 4-m bq, 2773 tons, Sydney (option Melbourne or Geelong) to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Ester, bq, 486 tons, Bunbury to Adelaide—jarrah; Holthe, bq, 1352 tons, South Australia to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Inversnaid, bq, 1312 tons, South Australia to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Langdale, sh, 1880 tons, Wallaroo to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Rajore, sh, 1946 tons, Sydney to U.K. or Continent—wheat; Samaritan, 4-m bq, 2097 tons, Newcastle to Tal Tal—coal.

BAR HARBOURS.

The following particulars were posted up at the G.P.O. last evening:—Camden Haven Heads, bar 8ft 6in; Harrington, 12ft on bar, 9ft inner channel crossing; Forster, bar 10ft, high water; Ballina, bar 10ft, 9in, inside channel 8ft, low water; Nambucca Heads, bar 10ft, high water, channel 9ft 9in, rise of tide 5ft; Yamba, bar 16ft 9in, tide 4ft, crossing 14ft, tide 2ft 6in; Bellinger, bar 8ft 9in, crossing 8ft 9in, rise of tide 2ft 3in; Tweed, bar 7ft, rise 3ft 5in, crossing 9ft, red buoy 7ft 11in.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

GOODE ISLAND (2005m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Murex, s, west.

THURSDAY ISLAND (1958m).—Dep: Sept. 12, Mataram, s. Sept. 13, Warrego, s, for Burketown.

CAIRNS (1416m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Kuranda, s, from Pt. Douglas. Dep: Kuranda, s, for Townsville.

KEPPEL BAY (877m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Arawatta, s, from Cairns. Dep: Arawatta, s, for Melbourne.

GLADSTONE (882m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Wodonga, s, from Townsville. Dep: Wodonga, s, for Brisbane.

BUNDABERG (782m).—Dep: Sept. 13, Tinana, s, for Brisbane.

BRISBANE (516m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Hopewell, s (with St. Kilda in tow), from Sydney. Dep: Musgrave, s, for Bundaberg; Comma, s, for Melbourne.

TWEED HEADS (374m).—Sept. 13, Friendship, s, in 12.15 p.m. Passed: Small 2 mstd. s, 7.25 a.m.; large s, black funnel, white band, 9.20 a.m.; and St. George, s, 4.5 p.m., north.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (331m).—Dep: Sept. 13, Macleay, s, at 10.20 a.m.; Kiltobranks, s, at 10.30 a.m., Ramornie, s, at 10.45 a.m., City of Grafton, s, at 11.30 a.m.

SOUTH SOLITARY (250m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Burringbar, s, at 3.15 p.m., and Mallina, s, at 3.30 p.m., south.

BELLINGER (230m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Our Jack, s, at 8 a.m., Alma Doepel, sch, at 11.30 a.m.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Our Elsie, s, at 8.30 a.m., Wandra, s, at 9 a.m., Rosedale, s, at 9.30 a.m.

SOUTH WEST ROCKS (209m).—Sept. 13, dredge, working on bar.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Canonbar, s, at 12.45, Nerong, s, at 1 p.m., Electra, s, at 1.30 p.m., Aramac, s, at 2.40 p.m., and Brundah, s, at 5.55 p.m., north; Coraki, s, at 2 p.m., south.

TACKING POINT (160m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Grantala, s, 5.45 p.m., and Cavanba, s, 4.45 p.m., south; Kyogle, s, 3.15 p.m., and Orara, s, 4.55 p.m., north.

CROWDY HEAD (147m).—Passed: Sept. 13, large steamer, yellow funnel, black top, 11.30 a.m., and Tintenbar, s, 2.15 p.m., south.

SEAL ROCKS (109m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Waddon, s, 3.45 p.m., and a schooner, 1.45 p.m., south; Noorebar, s, 2.35 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS (85m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Waraneen, s, 4 a.m., Williams, s, 9.45 a.m. Passed: Ballengarra, s, 12.5 p.m., Mokau, s, 3 p.m., Tuncurry, s, 4.15 p.m., Myall, sch, 4.20 p.m., Boambee, s, 5.5 p.m., and Alpha, sch, 6 p.m., south; Mutlah, s, 4.45 p.m., Cooloon, s, 4.55 p.m., Magdalene, s, 5 p.m., north.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Age, s, from Adelaide; Newcastle, s, Orara, s, Noorebar, s, Murray, s, Cooloon, s, Lammeroo, s, Astral, s, Surada, s, Barwon s, Duckenfield, s, Beagle, s, and Cavan, sch, all from Sydney; F. J. Spence, bqe, from Mauritius; Boambee, s, from the Manning River; Knight of the Garter, s, from Valparaiso. Dep: Pelaw Main, s, Murray, s, Lubra s, for Sydney; Mutlah, s, for Singapore; Auchenblae, s, for Valparaiso; Noorebar, s, and Cooloon, s, for Coff's Harbour; Sea Gull, s, and Williams, s, for Port Stephens; Orara, s, for Byron Bay; Galgabba, ketch, for the south; Puako, s, for San Francisco; Astral, s, for the north.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS (74m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Coomonderry, s, at 11.5 a.m., from Sydney.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed: Sept. 13, a steamer at 8 a.m., south; Westralia, s, at 1.45 p.m., north.

BERMAGUI SOUTH (169m).—Dep: Sept. 13, Merimbula, s, at 7 p.m., for Sydney.

EDEN (210m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Captain Cook, pilot steamer, at 12.55 p.m., north.

GREEN CAPE (218m).—Passed: Sept. 13, Monaro, s, at 12.5 a.m., Leura, s, at 1.5 a.m., a timber-laden steamer at 10.50 a.m., all south. Dep: Sept. 13, Captain Cook, pilot steamer, at 12.10 p.m., and Orontes, R.M.S., at 3.20 p.m., north.

GABO (228m).—Passed: Sept. 13, a steamer, at 2.35 a.m., Wyreema, s, at 10.50 a.m., St. Albans, s, at 10.55 a.m., steamer, yellow funnel, black top, at 1 p.m., Komura, s, at 1.35 p.m., all west; a steamer, at 2 a.m., steamer at 2.20 a.m., north; Paloona, s, at 6.45 a.m., south.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426m).—Inward: Sept. 12, midnight, Endeavour, Federal trawler. Sept. 13, 1.5 a.m., Wyrallah, s; 7.45 p.m., Leura, s. Outward: Sept. 13, 1.20 a.m., Orontes, R.M.S.; 6 a.m., Marloo, s; 1.20 p.m., Glaucus, s; 1.30 p.m., Barrabool, s.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Adel, s, from Hamburg; Themistocles, s, from Sydney; Rotomahana, s, from Launceston; Corio, s, from Adelaide. Dep: Persic, s, and Bombala, s, for Sydney; Epsom, s, for Newcastle; Karoola, s, for Fremantle; Moana, s, for Hobart; Sydney, s, for Eden; Wainui, s, for Strahan; Rotomahana, s, for Launceston; Taiyuan, s, for Japan.

MACQUARIE HEADS (Tas.).—Dep: Sept. 13, Karitane, s, at 11.10 a.m., for Sydney, via ports.

ADELAIDE (1084m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Riverina, s, from Western Australia; Kadina, s, from Queenstown, via Sydney. Dep: Jason, s, for the eastern States; Coolgardie, s, for Sydney.

ALBANY (2100m).—Arr: Sept. 13, 5.30 a.m., Suevic, s, from Melbourne; 11 a.m., Kyarra, s, from eastern States. Dep: Sept. 13, 1 p.m., Suevic, s, for Liverpool.

FREMANTLE (2466m).—Arr: Sept. 12, Kapunda, s, from eastern States. Sept. 13, 2 p.m., Oberhausen, s, from eastern States.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Wednesday.

Arrivals.

Wahool, s, 5004 tons, from Sydney July 1, at London.

Anerley, s, 3703 tons, from Newcastle Aug. 4, at San Francisco.

Inger, bq, from Newcastle, July 1, at Antofagasta.

Balermacuame (?) at Mexillones.

Frankby, s, 4182 tons, from Newcastle Aug. 25, at Cebu.

Departure.

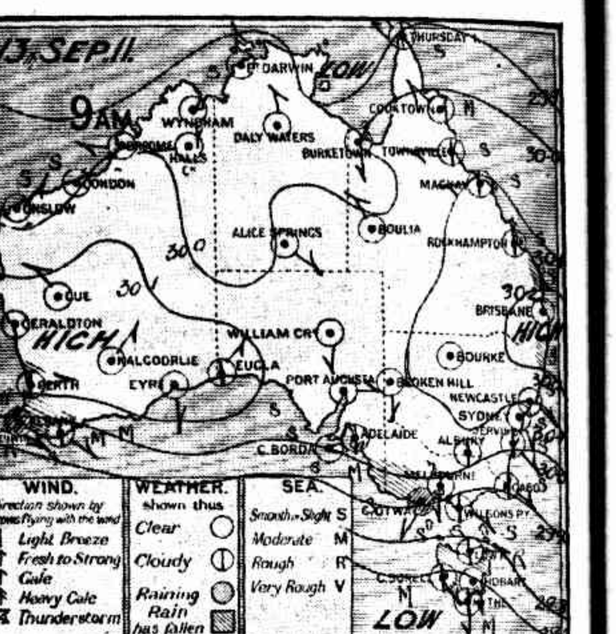
Nerehana, s, 6534 tons, from Liverpool, for Wellington.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1238m).—Arr: Sept. 13, Manuka, s, from Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP



During the past 24 hours the high pressure over the south-east States has contracted and worked north-eastward about 800 miles, so that now its centre, which is quite small, is between Brisbane and Port Macquarie. The "high" on the coast of Western Australia on Tuesday has travelled south-eastward about 1600 miles to the Central Bight, and constitutes, with the "high" in the east, the nuclei of an enormous but irregular-shaped anti-cyclone. Rather definite monsoonal "dips" are shown in the isobars, between Western and Central Australia, and North-west Queensland.

The very extensive Antarctic low pressure wave (mentioned on Tuesday) is still over the ocean to the south of the continent. Its western portion is now composed of horizontal isobars, between Albany and Western Victoria, but with the north-east movement of the "high," has intruded northwards over the south-east corner of the continent and Tasmania. Its eastern portion (over New Zealand) has developed a cyclonic centre to the west of the North Island.

Ocean Forecast.—Squally westerly winds between Cape Borda, Hobart, and Gabo.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Wednesday.

Sydney rainfall, average annual for 52 years, 4795 points.

Average rainfall for 53 years, from January 1 to end of August, 3677 points.

Total rainfall from January 1, to date, 4310 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1910, 3282 points.

Barometer, 9 a.m., 30.136; 3 p.m., 29.962; 9 p.m., 30.

Temperature.—9 a.m., 60; 3 p.m., 69.7; 9 p.m., 64.6; maximum, 71.3; minimum, 50.

Humidity.—9 a.m., 63; 3 p.m., 57; 9 p.m., 71.

Wind.—Greatest velocity, 10 miles, E.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m.).—Ballina 1 point, Byron Bay 8, Clarence Heads 4.

CONDITIONS AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Fine and clear generally, except cloudy at places in the south-east corner, and at a few places in the north coast.

TEMPERATURES AT 9 A.M.

Perth, maximum 64, minimum 53; Adelaide, 83, 50; Melbourne, 63, 55; Brisbane, 82, 56; Hobart, minimum 44.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 30.14; Geraldton, 30.16; Perth, 30.11; Esperance Bay, 30.08; Eucla, 30.08; Streaky Bay, 30.06; Adelaide, 30.09; Robe, 30.00; Portland, 29.95; Melbourne, 30.00; Wilson's Promontory, 29.81; Gabo Island, 29.94; Cape St. George, 30.06; Sydney, 30.14; Newcastle, 30.15; Port Macquarie, 30.17; Clarence Heads, 30.26; Brisbane, 30.21; Rockhampton, 30.16; Mackay, 30.10; Cooktown, 30.03.

COASTAL REPORTS, 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, E, light, fine, sea rough; Byron Bay, NE, light, hazy, sea smooth; Ballina, N, light, fine, bar moderate; Woolgoolga, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, NE, moderate, fine, sea mod.; Manning Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N, light, hazy, sea slight; Newcastle, NW, fine, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, SE, light, fine, sea slight; Catherine Hill Bay, SE, light, fine, sea slight; Barranjoey, E, light, hazy, sea slight; South Head, N, light, fine, sea slight; Wollongong, calm, fine, sea smooth; Kiama, N, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, N, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Ulladulla, S, light, fine, sea slight; Bateman's Bay, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, NE, light, hazy, sea smooth; Eden, S, moderate, fine, sea slight; Green Cape, S, moderate, fine, sea slight; Gabo Island, SW, light, cloudy, sea slight.

FORECAST FOR N.S.W., 6 P.M.

A few scattered showers in the south-east corner of the State; a tendency for isolated thunder inland; otherwise fine generally, some light falls only. North-west to west winds; a short-lived southerly likely on the southern coast.

INTERSTATE RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

(For the 24 hours ended 9 a.m.)

Western Australia.—Perth 13, Bunbury 4, Cape Leeuwin 1, Katanning 2, Breaksea 2, Lawlers 2.

South Australia.—Robe 3, Cape Northumberland 8, Queensland.—Sandy Cape 3.

Victoria.—Hamilton 2, Portland 10, Cape Otway 9.

Tasmania.—Hobart 4, Hythe 9, Cape Sorell 6, Waratah 8, Low Head 9, Launceston 12, Eddystone 6, Spring 8.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER 14.

Sun rises at 5.57, sets 5.44; Moon, 11.50 p.m., 9.48 a.m.; Mercury, 5.29 a.m., 5.10 p.m.; Venus, 5.8 a.m., 5.2 p.m.; Mars, 11.24 p.m., 9.44 a.m.; Jupiter, 8.24 a.m., 9.48 p.m.; Saturn, 10.17 p.m., 9.1 a.m.

High water at Fort Denison, 11.50 a.m.

New moon, Sept. 23, 12.37 a.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.

Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.

Queensland.—Overland, 2.45 p.m.

Richmond River.—Ramornie, 1 p.m.

Macleay River.—Yulgilbar, 1 p.m.

Port Macquarie.—Macquarie, 1 p.m.

Tuncurry, etc.—Tuncurry, 5 p.m.

Western Australia, via Adelaide and Albany.—Karoola, 5.30 p.m.

Eden, etc.—Merimbula, 6 p.m.

Durban and Capetown (via Melbourne).—Themistocles, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY.

Tuncurry, etc.—Tuncurry, 11 a.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Marrawah, 5.30 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Rotomahana, 5.30 p.m.

Noumea (direct).—St. Louis, 8 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.

MISS CARRIE LANCELEY AT CHATSWOOD.

In aid of the northern suburbs ambulance fund, Miss Carrie Lanceley gave a concert at the Willoughby Town Hall, and her efforts in the good cause met with a ready response, with the result that the attendance was large and enthusiastic. Miss Lanceley was heard in the "Jewel Song," from Gounod's "Faust," "Ave Maria" (Mascagni), and "Sing, Sweet Bird" (Ganz). Others contributing to the programme were Miss Kathleen Morven, Mr. Emil Susanitch, Mr. Harry Campbell (songs), Miss Irene C. Lee (recitations), Mr. H. Staell (violin), and the Chatswood Musical Society (choruses). The hon. accompanists were Miss A. L. Harper and Miss Constance Bailey.

CAPE TO CAIRO LECTURE.

A vivid glimpse of the land and people of Africa will be given this evening in the Y.M.C.A. Hall by the only woman who has trekked from the Cape to Cairo. Miss Hall has also some fine pictures taken on the spot.

LECTURE ON BUDDHISM.

Mr. Joseph Taylor, who has resided for more than 30 years in India, will deliver two lectures at the King's Hall, Phillip-street, on "Popular and Philosophic Hinduism" and "Unrest in India and Some of its Causes" to-night and on Tuesday night respectively.

ROYAL ART SOCIETY.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor will pay an official visit to the Royal Art Society's exhibition at 4 p.m. to-day, accompanied by Lady Cullen.

SMALL ARMS FACTORY.

LITHGOW, Wednesday.

Posts for the telephone line to the small arms factory have now been erected. It is anticipated that telephonic communication with the factory will be established in a fortnight or so.

TRADES AND LABOUR.

PLUMBERS' UNION.

Mr. J. R. Gove presided at the last meeting of the Plumbers' Union. Ten new members were enrolled. The sum of £2 was voted in aid of the wives and children of the Lithgow strikers, that being the largest amount it is within the power of a general meeting to vote. It was decided that a special meeting should be called for Tuesday week to vote a larger sum.

A communication from Albury was received, in which it was reported that the formation of the branch was nearly completed. A letter from Perth, announcing that negotiations were proceeding for a regulation wage of 13s per day, and that a strike was in existence, and asking that men should be warned against going to Western Australia until the matter was settled, was considered. The letter stated that a number of plumbers in Perth were receiving 13s and more. The secretary was instructed to assure the Perth union that no plumbers would go from this State to Western Australia.

The secretary of the Victorian branch (Mr. H. S. Foster) wrote stating that the first annual conference would be held in Sydney early in October, when delegates from Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland would attend. The New South Wales union has not yet decided in favour of the federation which it is hoped will be evolved from this conference. It was decided that the visiting delegates should be invited to take part with the union in the Eight-hour demonstration, and also to be present at the quarterly meeting of the union on October 10, when the question of whether the union should take part in the proposed federation will be brought forward. The secretary (Mr. Ware) reported that some of the members who had been summoned for arrears of contributions had paid up their dues.

FEDERATED MUSICIANS.

The latest returns from the various States show a great increase in the membership of the branches of the Federated Professional Musicians' Union in Kalgoorlie, Adelaide, Brisbane, and Melbourne. In Brisbane the local Wages Board had concluded the taking of evidence, and the award is being awaited. Perth district had recently obtained an award, and the Melbourne union had applied for a board under the Victorian Act; but as the whole of the districts belong to the Federated Musicians' Union of Australasia the Federal award, when completed, will override the State awards. Industrial agreements have been made with Messrs. J. C. Williamson, Clarke and Meynell, and Geo. Marlow, Ltd., whilst Messrs. W. Anderson, Allan Hamilton, West's, Ltd., and J. D. Williams have promised the union to grant all demands.

Branches are now being formed in the principal centres of New Zealand.

The ranks of the local Musicians' Union have been considerably augmented by the inclusion of the whole of the members of Dr. Gwen's band, a large number of whom were not previously members of the union. This accession brings the total membership to 400.

SHOP ASSISTANTS' WAGES.

The Master Retailers' Association having decided that Messrs. S. Hordern and Goulston should represent them at a conference with delegates from the Shop Assistants' Union, the conference will meet on Friday. These are the delegates the Shop Assistants' Union expressed a desire to see appointed. Messrs. L. Bennetts and Thompson will represent the union. The conference is to deal with the question of wages and conditions, and was called in consequence of the discontent of the shop assistants at the protracted proceedings of the board. The sittings of the board are suspended until the conclusion of the conference.

TELEGRAPH CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

A special meeting of the Telegraph Construction Branch Union was held at the G.U.O.F. Hall, Sydney, on Tuesday night, Mr. J. G. Barkie presiding. The meeting had been called to consider a circular from the central office of the Postal Department in regard to travelling expenses.

Mr. E. H. Burgess, the secretary, explained that he and the president had had an interview with the electrical engineer, and it appeared the trouble had greatly been caused by the interpretation of the circular. It was decided to leave the matter of securing a satisfactory settlement in the hands of the executive officers.

DEFICIENCY CLAIMS.

BULLI, Wednesday.

The Southern Collieries Wages Board to-day continued the hearing of the claims for compensation for working alleged deficient places in the Corrimal mine. In the case of J. and P. Kelly, the board decided that their wages for the three fortnights in regard to which the claims were made should be made up to the average of earnings for the previous twelve pays. A. and M. Findlay claimed £3 0s 1d, £1 7s 8d, £2 0s 4d, £1 15s 1d, £2 3s 6d, and £2 5s compensation for working an 8yd bord in the dip section. The alleged deficiencies were hard coal, roll in floor, bad roof, and timbering.

The evidence given included that of the under-manager, who said that when the claim was made the men were offered another place, and they point blank refused to take it.

The board decided that in refusing to take the offer of another place, although within their rights in doing so, the claimants gave up the claim to compensation. Consequently, the board could not allow it.

Wilson and Potter claimed £1 3s 11d, 16s 6d, and £1 1s 10d for deficiencies in an 8yd bord, consisting of hard coal, roll in floor, and falling roof. These were admitted by the manager. Owing to the Court not accepting certain sheets, claims by J. and F. Ward were also admitted by the manager, the amounts being 17s, £1 1s 5d, £1 14s 11d, 15s, and 8s 9d. Howard and Taylor claimed compensation in amounts of £1 3s 4d, 16s 6d, and £1 1s 10d for working a heading showing a stone rising to 2ft 6in across the full width of heading, and making a seam under height. The coal was also hard, and occasionally the roof came in. Howard claimed to have had the highest tonnage of the pit for nine fortnights, and had never been challenged for working short shifts. His mate was 25 years of age, and had worked in coal mines since he was 12 years old. R. Sheppard, undermanager, said both men had been very irregular in attendance, and one of them had lost more time than any other man in the pit.

The board decided the place was deficient, and allowed full claims.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A moderate amount of business was done on 'Change yesterday, principally at late rates. Australian Mutual Fire Insurance advanced 3d. Australian Gas eased 2s. Bellambi Coal eased 6d.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. Per Annum.	Last Sales.	Buyer.	Seller.	Yield to Investors.
STOCKS.							
N.S.W. F.S..	..	..	3	81½	80	81½	3¾
Do., due 1912..	..	..	3½	92	90	92	3¾
Do., due 1912..	..	..	4	100¾	..	100½	3½
Do., due 1924..	..	..	3	91	90	91½	4
Do., due 1925..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3¾
Do., due 1918..	..	..	3½	98½	97	..	3¾
Do., due 1921..	..	..	3½	96½	95½	97	3¾
Do., due 1923..	..	..	3½	98½	96	97	3¾
Do., due 1919..	..	..	3½	99½	98½	..	3¾
Do., Act 1873..	..	..	4	104	104	..	..
Do., Debentures	..	..	4	100¾	..	..	..
Ditto, T. Bills	..	..	4	100½	100	..	..
Ditto	..	..	4	100	..	..	..
N.Z. Deb.	..	..	4	100½	..	..	..
Q. Deb.	..	..	4	99	..	..	..
Ditto, T. Bills	..	..	4	100½	100	101	..
W.A. Ins.	..	..	4	100	100½	..	..
Ditto	..	..	4	100	..	..	..
Aus. Gas D., '22	..	..	4	102	..	..	..
City Sydney D.	..	..	4	101½	..	..	..
C. Sugar D., '16	..	..	5	108	102	..	..
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	16	129½	129½	..	5¼
Aus. B. Com. ..	1	1	3½	14/1	14/1	14/3	3½
Bank of N.Q. ..	7	2	8	40/	39/6	41/	..
City of Sydney	8	8	4	5½	5½	..	..
Ditto, new	10	8	4	5½	5½	5½	..
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	32½	32½	32½	3¾
Com. of Aus. ..	10/	10/	..	14/	..	..	..
Ditto, pref. ...	10	10	3	6½	..	..	5
E., S., and A. ..	25	12½	5	..	15	..	4
London Bank..	22½	7½	5	..	6½	..	6
Ditto, pref. ...	10	10	5	11½	12¼	..	4
N. of Aus.	8	5	6	5½	..	5/12/	5½
Ditto, pref. ...	10	10	6	12½	..	..	4¾
N.S.W.	20	20	10	45	45	45½	4½
Q'land Nat. ...	5	3	..	40/	39/	40/6	..
New Zealand ..	6⅔	6⅔	15	11/16/6	..	13½	4½
Royal of Q. ...	9	5	..	5½	..	..	..
Union	75	25	14	66	65	66	5½
DEPOSITS.							
A.B.C. inscr ...	..	..	4	16/3	16/1	16/6	5
C. of A. Assets	..	..	3	17/10½	19/	..	4½
E., S., and A., inscr., pref.	..	..	3	12/7	12/6	..	4½
Ditto, def.	..	..	4½	18/3	18/3	..	4¾
Ditto, deb.	..	..	4	18/9	18/3	..	4¾
Q'land Nat. ...	..	..	3½	19/1½	19/3	..	4¾
STEAM.							
Adelaide	1	1	10	37/	..	36/3	5½
Bal. N. Ferry..	1	1	..	17/	16/6	18/	..
Howard Smith	1	1	15	33/	..	35/	8
Ditto, pref. ...	1	1	5	21/6	21/6	20/	4¾
Illawarra	1	15/	7	16/9	16/9	17/3	6½
Newcastle	1	1	8	24/6	24/6	..	6½
North Coast ...	1	17/6	8	27/10½	27/6	..	5
Port Jackson ..	1	15/	10	61/6	60/6	61/	5
Sydney Ferries	1	1	12½	42/6	41/	42/	6
Union of N.Z.	1	1	9	41/9	40/	42/	4½
INSURANCE.							
A.M. Fire	1	15/	14½	47/6	47/3	48/	4½
Col. Mutual ...	1	1	8	52/6	54/6	..	3
I.O.A.	10/	5/	..	7/1	6/6	7/	..
Mer. Mutual ..	1	7/	17½	24/6	20/6	22/6	5
New Zealand ..	10	2	12½	90/6	91/	93/	5½
Queensland ...	1	10/	10	26/6	27/6	29/6	4
Reinsurance ..	10/	5/	..	6/	5/	5/9	..
South British ..	5	10/	..	..	..	..	..
United	10	2½	12½	6½	6½	6½	4½
GAS.							
Albury	1	12/6	10	20/6	20/6	..	6
Australian	6	6	15	18/3/	18	18½	5
Charters Towers	10/	10/	..	10/3	..	..	..
Goulburn	1	1	15	58/	..	60/	5
Grafton	1	1	8	30/	..	..	..
Kat., Leura ...	1	1	3½	24/6	22/6	..	..
Maitland	5	5	10	6½	..	..	..
Manly	1	1	10	20/6	..	20/6	5
Ditto, new	1	20/	..	90/	90/	..	..
Mudgee	..	1	7	..	14/	21/	..
Newcastle	1	1	15	6	5½	6¼	5
Ditto, new	1	20/	..	90/	90/	90/	..
North Shore ..	1	1	8	40/	40/	40/6	4
Ditto, new	1	5/	..	..	..	21/	..
South Brisbane	10	10/	10	..	..	..	..
BREWERIES.							
C. and W. Bros	1	1	4	11/3	11/	11/6	7½
Perkins'	15/	15/	20	40/9	40/	42/	7¼
Toohey's	1	16/	6	19/	18/	18/10½	5½
Tooth's	1	1	10	47/	47/	..	4¼
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Aarons' Ex. Htl	15	12/	7½	10/	10/	10/3	9
Arnott's, ord. ..	1	1	7	15/	..	16/	9¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	..	..	20/	..
A. Taylor, Co. ..	1	1	16	30/7½	30/6	30/9	5
A. Bread Co. ..	1	1	8	20/6	20/3	20/9	5
Alderson and Williamson ..	1	1	..	..	20/	..	..
Amalg. Pictures	20/	10/	..	12/	11/9	12/6	..
Aus. Hardwoods	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Aus. Hat Mills	1	1	10	..	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	..	26/	..	..
Aust. Wireless	1	15/	..	..	..	14/6	..
Ditto, ditto	1	1	..	14/6	..	29/6	..
Beard Watson ..	1	1	10	30/	27/6	..	6
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	..	..	..	..
Bennett Glass ..	1	1	12½	..	..	..	..
Bowron Bros. Ex. port. Trading	1	1	..	19/6	19/	20/3	..
Brennan's	1	1	..	19/3	19/	19/3	..
B.H. W. Supply	1	1	7½	19/6	..	..	..
Brooks, W.	1	1	6	19/6	..	..	7
Burns, Philp ..	1	1	7	26/6	26/	26/6	..
Col. Sugar	20	20	10	44	43½	44½	4½
Clyde Eng.	1	1	10	34/	34/	36/	6
Dalgety, Co. ...	20	5	8	6½	..	7	..
Dunlop, R.	1	1	8	36/	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	12½	63/	..	..	..
Emu B. Rail ..	..	1	..	8/9	..	..	..
Emu B., G.M.R.	1	1	10	28/	..	28/	7
J. Fitch, Co. ..	1	1	10	18	15/9	..	6
Farmer, Co., Ltd	10	10	5	18	18½	18½	5
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	11¾	11½	..	5
G., Mort, Co. ..	1	1	8	47/	46/3	47/	6
Goodlet, Smith	15	15	5	19/	19/9	19/9	6
H. J. Devlin ..	1	1	10	28/6	..	..	..
Ditto, contg. ..	1	10/	10	14/6	14/6	15/6	6
Hart's, Ltd. ..	1	1	10	..	..	21/6	..
Ditto, contg. ..	1	1	..	28/	..	..	..
H. Jones Co-op.	1	1	7½	..	28/	28/3	5
Hotel Metropole	1	1	8½	30/	..	..	5¾
Ditto, pref. ...	1	1	6	..	..	..	..
H. M'Kenzie ...	1	1	10	31/	..	..	5¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	10	30/	..	..	..
J. T. Williams	1	1	25	30/	30/3	31/	16¼
J. Sharp, Sons	1	1	..	..	24/9	25/3	..
Marchant's	1	1	..	30/	32/6	..	..
M'Lean, Co.	1	1	8	26/9	26/3	27/	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	10½	..	10½	5
Melb. Tram	1	1	20	41/6	..	..	4
Mont de Piete ..	1	1	12½	46/6	46/	47/	5
Ditto, new	1	2/6	..	15/6	14/	15/3	..
Mort's Dock ...	1	1	6	24/6	..	..	4¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	21/6	..	..	5
N.S.W. F.F.I. ..	12/	10/	12	20/3	18/	20/	6
Nicholson	1	1	10	28/	27/10½	28/6	7¼
N. Coliseum	1	1	..	22/6	..	22/	..
Paris House ...	1	1	15	26/6	26/3	26/9	11½
Paul and Gray	1	1	10	27/6	..	27/9	7
Penfolds	1	1	10	40/	39/	..	5
Perm. Trust	5/	2/6	10	4/10	4/9	..	5½
Perp. Trust	10/	10/	10	19/6	19/3	..	5½
Pitt, S., Badg. ..	1	17/	10	38/	..	..	4¾
P. S. Rubber ..	1	1	..	17/3	17/6	..	..
Q. M. Ex.	1	1	10	18/0	..	..	11
Q'land Pine	1	1	..	18/	..	..	..
R. H. Gordon ..	1	1	10	28/	31/	..	6½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	20/9	20/4½	20/9	7¾
Rothwell	1	1	8	22/	20/	..	7½
R. and Wrench	1	1	8	21/9	21/9	22/9	5¾
S. S. and Whitehead	1	1	..	11/	10/9	11/6	..
Sargent's	1	1	10	5/6	29/9	..	6½
Silverton Tram	1	1	40	5/6/6	99/	5	8
Stan. Waygood	1	1	15	44/3	..	44/6	6¾
Ditto, new	1	10/	..	31/3	..	31/	..
Sugar Para R. ..	1	1	..	16/	16/	20/	..
Ditto, contg. ..	1	7/	..	..	..	..	..
Sun Newspapers	1	1	..	29/	28/	30/	..
Syd. Exchange	10	10	6	12½	..	..	4¾
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	8	23/	22/6	23/	7
Ditto, contg. ..	1	10/	8	11/6	11/	12/	7
Syd. H.G.E. ...	1	15	11½	37/	36/9	37/3	4½
Syd. Ice Sktg.	1	1	12	33/	32/3	..	7¼
W. E. Smith, Ld	1	1	10	22/6	22/4	22/9	5¼
W. H. Soul	1	1	15	57/	56/6	57/6	5¼
Waters and Co.	1	1	10	28/6	28/	..	7
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	20/6	20/	20/9	5¾
Winchcombe, C.	1	1	6	22/9	22/6	23/	5¾
Wright, Heaton	2½	2½	10	85/	86/	..	5¾
Wunderlich	1	1	9	26/6	..	28/	6¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	24/	..	..	..
LAND AND BD.							
Commercial ...	10	9	..	25/	..	..	..
Haymarket	2	2	6	29/	..	29/	8½
Holt-S'land	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Industrial	20	20	6	18	..	20	6½
Intercolonial ...	1	15/	10	35/	28/6	..	4¼
Newcastle	1	1	7	24/	20/	..	5¾
S.A. L.M. and A. Co.	7	3	7½	..	..	..	..
Syd. Freehold	..	..	..	1/	/10	..	..
COAL.							
Abermain	1	18/6	15	44/	29/	..	6
Bellambi	1	1	15	53/6	52/	53/6	5½
Blair Athol	..	..	..	21/	21/3	23/	..
Caledonian	10	10	10	12½	10	..	8
East Greta	1	1	15	35/	..	35/	8¼
Heddon Greta ..	1	1	..	5/	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	42/	..	..	..
Hetton	5	5	..	5/3/6	63/	..	..
Metrop., 1 pref.	1	1	8	22/	..	..	7¼
Ditto, 2 pref. ..	1	1	7½	12/	..	12/3	12½
Mount Kembla	10	10	18	27	28	..	6½
Newcastle	11	10	5	4	70/	..	12½
North Bulli	1	1	5	17/9	..	19/	5¾
Rosham	..	..	10	..	..	..	..
South Greta	10/	10/	..	10/	9/6	..	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	10	26/6	..	27/	7¼
Wallsend	10	10	10	21	19½	21½	4½
W. and B.	1	1	..	12/9	..	13/3	..
Ditto, new	1	18/	..	11/9	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	45/6	47/	48/	..

* Ex dividend.

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—

Morning: Bellambi Coal, 53/6; Australian Mutual Fire, 47/6; Bowron Bros., 2 months, 20/3; Toohey's, Limited, 19/; Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney, £32/10/.

Noon: Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 47/2.

Afternoon: Australian Gas, £18/3/; Commercial Banking Company, £32/10; Australian Bank of Commerce, Deposits, 16/3; Goldsbrough, Mort, 47/, one month 47/1½; Henry Jones, 28/1½, 28/; Australia Hotel, 55/.

Sale of shares not on official list: A. Cocks, Ltd., 25/.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

To-day's Exchange sales were:—Commercial Bank, ..., pref., £5/9/; Royal Bank, 26/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, 46/6; Melbourne Tram, 41/9; Australian Paper Mills, 28/6; Greater Williams, 31/3; Kauri Timber, 17/.

FINANCIAL.

SYDNEY BANK CLEARINGS.

The clearings of the Sydney banks for the week ended September 12 totalled £5,244,347, against £4,649,162 for the corresponding week last year. The following comparison may be made of the totals to nearest dates in the years here enumerated:—

January 1 to September 15, 1905	£124,990,886
January 1 to September 17, 1906	147,362,809
January 1 to September 16, 1907	160,083,791
January 1 to September 14, 1908	154,797,875
January 1 to September 12, 1910	150,402,491
January 1 to September 13, 1909	183,106,993
January 1 to September 11, 1911	203,946,995

There has thus been an increase this year of £20,840,002. The clearings of the Melbourne banks from January 1 to September 11 totalled £190,609,977, an increase of £21,386,788.

QUEENSLAND PINE COMPANY.

The above company has its headquarters, curiously enough, in Adelaide. It has issued an interim report, covering the half-year ended June 30. The report states that the Indooroopilly mill has been kept at work to try to satisfy the requirements of customers, but owing to the impossibility of securing a regular and adequate supply of logs the output has been small, with a concurrent increase in cost of production. The directors hope to be able to close this mill early this month. A start was made in January with the erection of the Yarraman Creek mill, but the arrival of the plant ordered from America was delayed, and the completion of the mill was retarded considerably. The Canadian portion of the plant was erected in August, and the running has given every satisfaction. The band mill is now almost completed, and when in working order the directors consider that the company will possess one of the most modern plants in Australia, and a substantial saving will be effected in the cost of production. The line to Benarkin (Blackbutt) was opened to traffic in May, since when the extension to Yarraman Creek has been undertaken, and fair progress, it is stated, is being made. The company proposes to hold another auction sale at Yarraman on September 21, when 69 quarter-acre town allotments will be submitted.

THE DOOMED HALF-CROWN.

Rather late in the day, perhaps, though better late than never, Mr. A. R. Reid writes complaining of the projected withdrawal of the half-crown from our currency system. He writes:—

I understand it is the intention of the Federal authorities to withdraw all half-crowns from circulation, and, so far, I have seen no protest from the trading public. Many I for one voice an emphatic protest against this action? The half-crown is the most useful coin we have in giving change for gold. For instance, a sale of sixpence is made, and half a sovereign is tendered in payment. By using three half-crowns and one florin the change is given with four coins. Without the half-crown six coins would be required, viz., four florins, one shilling, and a sixpence. Again, in paying silver to the banks it will mean that the teller will have to count 10 two-shilling pieces as against eight half-crowns. These may seem small things, but they are of importance to people handling quantities of silver, and should be given consideration unless some reason of greater importance can be brought forward in support of the Federal authorities' action. Will the Chamber of Commerce take some steps in the matter?

AUSTRALASIAN GOLD PRODUCTION.

The Australasian gold yield for the past eight months of the current year is estimated by the "Argus" as 1,953,682 fine ounces. Taking the Commonwealth separately, the output has been 1,694,876 fine ounces, a decrease of 161,945 fine ounces for the period. The following comparison may be made:—

	1909. Fine oz.	1910. Fine oz.	1911. Fine oz.
New South Wales	127,490	127,191	140,579
Victoria	418,505	381,799	330,092
Queensland	288,435	288,462	286,274
Western Australia	1,051,086	909,769	899,076
*South Australia	5,300	4,960	8,285
*Tasmania	40,000	29,600	20,970
Commonwealth	1,931,745	1,766,781	1,694,876
New Zealand	310,147	300,053	258,806
Total	2,241,892	2,066,834	1,953,682

* Approximate.

TRADE EXPANSION.

The market for our wheat and our wool is largely dependent upon the buoyancy or otherwise of trade in the great consuming markets. This appears to be still expanding, as may be seen from Mr. Rozenrood's periodical tables. The last of these covers the first half of the current year. As regards imports, France shows the largest increase, the total of that country being £176,459,000, or rather over 23 millions more than for the first half of 1910. The United States registers an increase in imports of 13 millions, with a total of £173,121,000, and Germany an advance of 11¼ millions, at £233,205,000. In the case of Great Britain, imports were practically stationary, the total being £334,124,000, or £282,000 less than for the first half of 1910. In respect of exports, however, the United Kingdom holds second place for the amount of increase, the United States being first with an improvement of £36,911,000, and a total of £197,858,000, and the United Kingdom next with an advance of £19,084,000, and a total of £223,669,000. Germany records an improvement in exports of rather over 13½ millions, with a total of £190,495,000, but the exports of France were nearly 3 millions lower than last year, at £121,005,000.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Suburban Land and Investment Company, Ltd., has been registered with a capital of £100,000 in shares of £1 each, the object being to acquire land, buildings, etc., and advance money on the same. The first directors are—Messrs. Alex. Stewart, Edwin S. Phippard, Wm. H. Nicholls, and Arthur Scott.

At the annual meeting of Mellin's Food Company for Australia and New Zealand, Limited, which was held in London on August 9, Dr. J. J. Pilley (the chairman) said the profits for the year were £4508. After payment of a dividend of 6 per cent. upon the preference shares, there remained a sum of £745 to carry forward.

Dr. C. K. Mackellar, M.L.C., president of the Bank of New South Wales, has joined the board of Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.

The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Ltd., has opened a branch at Bellata.

It is announced that the share list of the Life Insurance Company of Australia will close on Monday next. Twenty-four hours' grace will be allowed for country applications.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

LONDON, Sept. 12, 7.55 p.m.

Australian Mercantile Land and Finance Company 4 per cent. debenture stock (£1 up), at £100/10/.

City of Sydney 4 per cent. debentures (1912-13), unchanged at £100.

Metropolitan Gas Company (Melbourne) 4½ per cent. (£1 up), at £102.

Australian and New Zealand Mortgage Company 4½ per cent. debentures, unchanged at £97.

Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., 4 per cent. "B" debentures, unchanged at £98/10/.

Dalgety and Co., Ltd., unchanged at b £6, s £6/10/.

Dalgety and Co., Ltd., 4 per cent. debentures, unchanged at £101.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

EASTERN PRODUCE STRONG AND ADVANCING.

There was another busy day in bar iron and galvanised iron yesterday. Prices of bar iron were very firm. Some houses advanced the prices of corrugated galvanised iron another 5/ a ton, in order to stop a rapid depletion of stocks. Sales by one firm for the day totalled 200 cases, which is an unprecedented quantity. Fifty tons of No. 8 American black and 20 tons of No. 10 American black sold. Ten miles of imported wire netting, 42 x 1½ x 17, also sold. This seventeen-gauge is going out of favour, it is stated, and so prices were a little easier than would otherwise have been the case. The lines most sought for are 42 x 1½ x 18 and 36 x 1½ x 18, the former being used for boundary fencing and the latter for subdivision, as a general rule. Fresh prices were issued yesterday for some imported descriptions, and it was noticeable that the only 18-gauge of A quality quoted showed an increase of £1/10/ a ton on the old prices issued some weeks ago. There was some movement in carbide, quoted in parcels at £13/15/ to £14, and for distributing lots from £14/5/ to £14/10/ per ton, according to brand. Following upon cables regarding the rise, there was active buying, everything below these quotations being taken, and it looked as though an attempt to concentrate stocks was being made. The oil market was firm at unchanged prices. A small line of 40 drums of B., S., and Co.'s boiled linseed oil was put through at 5/8½. Eleven tons of Champion's whitelead sold at the quoted prices. There was some disposition to consider that the market had not yet reached its top. Castor oil had an advance cabled from India, the c.i.f. price being increased by /3 per gallon. The local market is not, however, likely to be affected, as stocks are very heavy, and holders find difficulty in discovering buyers. Turpentine was easier, and could be obtained at 3/9 per gallon, to arrive, from a boat now in port at Melbourne.

In Eastern produce the report of the expected famine in Siam was the cause of some anxiety as to the future position of rice in the local markets. Prices from Bangkok were cabled to have advanced to £13, an increase of nearly 50 per cent. in a few days. The market for tapiocas remained steady and very firm. According to information received from the producing centres and from Europe, it was expected that before the end of the year prices would rule very much higher. Stocks in Europe and the United States are on the lowest scale, and in the producing districts of the East supplies have diminished to a low quantity, while the growing crops have been adversely affected by the drought. Pepper was firm, and was well held. Stocks of barley are absolutely depleted, and there will be none for manufacturing purposes till January or February next. Coffee was cabled dearer. Costa Rica and East Indian showed increased limits, amounting to 2/ per cwt, and Santos showed increased limits of 4/ per cwt. This was in addition to the increase reported two weeks ago. Owing to crops' reports being more favourable than was anticipated some four weeks ago, prices of canary seed in the Near East have dropped. New seed, September-October shipment, was quoted yesterday at 11/2 per cwt c.i.f. and e. for main Australian ports, compared with 12/6 a fortnight ago.

Business in tea was limited. Two hundred and fifty packages of Indians and Ceylons sold up to /10 per lb. Buyers are apparently waiting for the auction to-day. Treff.'s sardines continued very firm. An offer to buy a large parcel of quarters at 4/4½ failed to find any seller.

Jute was quiet, and prices were without change. Cornsacks in Calcutta were quoted on a parity with the previous day. The only line in which activity was displayed was woolpacks, which had many sales at firm rates.

THE RICE POSITION.

The report conveyed by the press cables received yesterday that the rice crop of Siam had failed, that a famine threatened, and that, at Singapore prices had largely increased in the previous three days, was read with interest by Eastern merchants in Sydney. It was acknowledged that the situation in regard to the rice crop of the world was not without anxiety. Some countries have had fair yields, but in others the yields have been low, and now Siam owing to the failure of the crop is on the verge of famine. As regards the lastnamed country this result was not expected. Indeed, it was predicted a month ago. A letter received from Bangkok under date of August 12 stated that much-needed rains had fallen in a few districts only, and that in those districts the crop was reported to be good; but, in other districts the young plants had been almost killed by the drought, and little or no "paddy" (unhusked rice) would be forthcoming. Taken altogether the whole crop was then expected to be exceedingly short, and it was predicted that should the fall of rain be insufficient between the date of writing and a month later the situation would be most serious, and there would be practically famine conditions. Private wires received yesterday confirmed the cable reports, and the price of ordinary rice was given as £13 per ton, which was an advance of about 50 per cent. in a few days. Wires from Burmah withdrew all quotations, and stated that practically no supplies would be available for shipment until the new crop became available in January and February next. The same condition of affairs prevails in Annam.

At the present time were the duty on rice removed the Australian would be more cheaply supplied with rice than any other people in the world. He would pay, were there no tariff, a less price than the Burman or Siamese pays, and would receive for his money a better quality rice. Some speculation has arisen in view of the fierce competition prevailing as to what the situation will be when the shortage affects the Australian market.

PRODUCTION OF TAPIOCA.

The whole of the Malay coast is experiencing a protracted drought, and one of the articles of common consumption which is affected by the adverse conditions is tapioca. Besides keeping the crop short the drought affects the quality of the yield. The lack of water adds to the difficulty of manufacture. An immense amount of water is used in the manufacture of tapioca. The rivers are now low owing to the want of rain, and they are in a turbid condition, which makes it practically impossible for the mills to produce a first-grade seed. Hence supplies will be short and the price will be high and the quality will be indifferent. The south-west monsoon if it blows heavily backs up the rivers, so that supplies have difficulty in getting down to the coast ports for shipment.

THE RAILWAYS AND WHEAT.

Yesterday the representatives of the shippers of wheat met the Chief Railway Commissioner, Mr. T. R. Johnson, and discussed with him various matters relating to the carriage of wheat and the stacking at country stations. The relation of the farmer to the stacks was explained, and some misconceptions were removed from the minds of the railway authorities. The block at Darling Island caused by the strike was also the subject of attention. Incidentally the matter of the bulk handling of wheat was referred to, and it is understood that the railway opinion still is that the time was not yet ripe by some years for instituting such a system in its entirety.

COMMONWEALTH WHEAT EXPORTS.

The exports of wheat and flour from the Commonwealth expressed in the equivalent of wheat for the week ended September 9 amounted to 1,220,000 bushels, and the total since December 1 was 51,411,732 bushels. The increase in the exports of wheat compared with last year is roughly a little less than one-sixth and the increase in exports of flour is about one-tenth. The statistics for the four exporting States are:—

	Wheat. Bushels.	Flour. Sacks.	Ttl. in equiv. of wheat. Bushels.
N.S.W.	10,281,217	297,793	11,770,182
Victoria	16,563,386	500,626	19,516,516
South Aus.	16,031,928	339,930	17,731,578
West. Aus.	2,274,806	23,730	2,393,456
	45,151,337	1,252,079	51,411,732

Details of the shipments from New South Wales from December 1 to September 9 of the present and the previous season are:—

WHEAT.

Destination.	1910-11 Bushels.	1909-10 Bushels.
United Kingdom	10,009,589	7,666,228
New Zealand	—	8,171
China	—	38
South Africa	—	21,103
New Caledonia	449	221
Philippines	66	—
Singapore, Java, etc.	7	42
South Sea Islands	684	465
British New Guinea	190	60
German New Guinea	75	34
Japan	10,051	198,162
Canary Islands (orders)	—	1,195,535
Elsewhere	69,366	75,220
	10,281,217	9,165,274

FLOUR.

Destination.	1910-11 Sacks.	1909-10 Sacks.
United Kingdom	26	19,301
New Zealand	2,749	13,564
India and Ceylon	152	—
China	3,974	8,448
Hongkong	16,582	—
South Africa	1,366	1,353
New Caledonia	27,288	22,414
Philippines	67,424	35,812
Singapore and Java	132,450	76,040
Japan	813	—
South Sea Islands	25,992	21,860
British New Guinea	2,861	1,263
German New Guinea	341	135
Elsewhere	10,857	6,519
	297,793	206,728

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

EASTERN PRODUCE.

Rice: Best Japan, £20 per ton; locally dressed, from £16/10/ to £18/10/, according to grade, per ton of 50lb bags; 10/ less for parcels of each sort; Rangoon, £10/5/ (in bond) per ton.

Tapioca: Seed, sacks 22/ per cwt, medium pearl 22/ per cwt; flaked tapioca, 24/ per cwt; /6 extra for 56lb bags.

Pearl barley: 12/6 per cwt, in sacks; 13/9 in 56lb bags.

Split peas: 18/3 in sacks, 18/6 in 56lb bags, parcels 10/ a ton less.

Haricot beans: 8/ per bushel in sacks; 8/6 in 60lb bags.

Seeds: Canary, 16/ per cwt, in sacks, 16/6 in cwt bags; birdseed, 17/ per cwt, in sacks; hemp, 16/6; linseed, whole, sacks, 24/, 56's 25/ per cwt; linseed, crushed, sacks, 25/6, 56's 26/6 per cwt; rape, 21/ per cwt.

Spices: Cloves, 1/3 per lb; mace, 3/ per lb for whole, 3/2 for ground; pimento /5½ to /9 per lb; caraway seeds, whole /9 per lb, ground /10 per lb; pepper, pure white, whole /11, loose 1/ per tin, in 7lb bags 1/0½; pure black, whole /10, loose /10½, in 7lb bags /10½; tins, white, 1lb, 11/ a dozen, ½lb 5/9, ¼lb 3/; black, 9/6, 5/, 2/7½; stick cinnamon, 1/4 per lb; mixed spice, loose /8, 1oz packets 1/; nutmegs, case lots /9½, smaller lots /10½ to 1/.

Whole bleached ginger, /9½; ground ginger, loose /10, tins /11; preserved, /8½ to /9.

Oatmeal: 7lb bags, 19/6 per cwt; flaked, 7lb bags, 21/ per cwt; 2lb packets, 5/ per doz; rolled oats, 5lb bags, 21/6 per cwt; 2lb packets, 5/ per doz.

Arrowroot: /5½ to /6 per lb, in packets.

Desiccated cocoanut: /8½ per lb, tins, 1lb, at 10/6 a doz.

JUTE.

Cornsacks: New Standard, on spot, 5/5 per dozen, new season's, 5/5.

Woolpacks: On spot, and to arrive, 2/4½ each.

Branbags: 4/1 per doz.

Ore pockets: 16oz, 3/; 20oz, 3/4 per doz.

GROCERIES.

Tinned fruit: No. 1 grade, assorted, 9/, No. 2 grade, 8/ per doz; apricots, 8/6; peaches, 9/6 per doz; pears, 9/6; pineapples, first grade, 6/6.

Salmon: Scroll, talls 11/9 per doz 1lb tins, flats, 12/-; tins 11/9, halves 7/9, in distributing lots; Geema, talls 10/6, flats 10/9, halves 7/; Pride of Alaska, talls 9/3; Karluk Horseshoe, 10/; Ewen, 10/6 talls, 10/9 flats, 1lb tins; 6/9 halves, flats. Maraub, flats, 10/3, halves 6/9.

Salt fish: Herrings, 19/, in half-barrels; salmon, barrels /5, half-barrels /5 per lb; ling, /5¾.

Sardines: Tref., halves 6/6, quarters 4/9; ordinary brands, halves 4/3 to 4/6, quarters 2/6 to 2/3; smoked sardines, halves 6/3 to 6/6, quarters 3/9 to 4/, eighths 2/6.

Matches: Wax vestas 3/6 24's, 3/6 12's; Australian, 12's 3/4½ to 3/5; safeties, 2/4½ to 2/9; phosphorus, up to 3/7½.

Candles: Imported, Goudas, /7½; D.R.J., /7½ to /7¾; local makes, from /4½ to /6½.

Milk: Imported, Nestle's and Gold Medal, 25/ per case of 48 tins for 10-case lots and over; local makes, Milkmaid and Cressbrook, 21/6 per case of 48 tins for 10-case lots and over, /6 extra per case is charged for less than 10-case lots; Queensland Standard, 20/6 a case of 48 tins for five-case lots; 21/ for single case; Gold Crown, 5/1½ a dozen for five-case lots, 5/3 for smaller lots.

Jams: Leading colonial brands, 3/8; second, 3/6 in 1lb, 6/10 and 6/6 in 2lb per doz.

Whiting: Gostling's, 80/ per ton; local makes, 60/.

Rocksalt: Liverpool, red ex store, 42/6 per ton; white, 65/ to 67/6.

Salt: Adelaide, coarse, 62/6; crude, 80/; refined, coarse, 67/6; flossy, fine, 72/6; extra fine, 75/; dairy, finest, 85/ a ton. Liverpool: Coarse, 72/6; fine, 80/ per ton.

Nuts: Brazil, 1/; walnut, /9 parcels, to /9½ distributing lots; Barcelonas, /8; almonds, soft-shelled, /9; ditto, Jordan, 2/6.

Lemon peel, /6½; citron, /8½; orange, /6½ per lb.

Clothes pegs: 5in 4/, 4½in 3/9 to 4/ per box.

Hops: Crown, 1/5 per lb; Golden Cross, /11½.

DRIED FRUITS.

Dates: Good quality, /3½, distributing lots.

Sultanas: Imported (Smyrna), /8½ for new.

Muscats: Imported, 1/2; Mildura, 1/1.

Lexias: /4½ to /5½, according to grade; seeded raisins, 6/11 per doz cartons; in 5lb cases, 6/8½.

Prunes: French, /10½ in bulk; New South Wales, /9½.

Evaporated apples: Bulk, /6½ lb cartons, /7½.

Figs: Protobens, in 5lb boxes, /9½ per lb.

Currants (imported): Amalias, /6½; Provincials, /6½.

Australian fruits: Currants, Four Crown, /6½; Three Crown, /5½; Two Crown, /5½; One Crown, /7; sultanas, Four Crown /7½, Three Crown /7, Two Crown /6½; Lexias, Five Crown, /5½, Four Crown /4½, Three Crown /4½, seedless /4½; muscat sultanas /4½; apricots, Four Crown /9, Three Crown /8½, Two Crown /7½, and One Crown /6½; peaches, /10; pears, /11.

CHEMICALS.

Resin: "G" grade, £16; "N" grade, £17.

Cream of tartar: 95 per cent., /10½, distributing; 99 per cent., /10½, distributing.

Tartaric acid: 1/1 to 1/2, according to quality.

Borax: Powder, £24; lump, £22/10/, in parcels, in 1cwt kegs; 2cwt kegs, 10/ less; boracic, £42 per ton.

Bluestone (Macclesfield): £22 to £23/10/ per ton.

Sodas: Bicarbonate (Brunner, Mond), £7/12/6 to £7/15/ in 5's, to £8/10/ in 1's, distributing lots 9/ per cwt; mineral water strength, tinted (Brunner Mond), £6/10/ to £7; caustic, Muspratt's, 70 to 72 per cent., in parcels, £12/10/ spot; Greenbank, 76 to 77 per cent., in parcels, £13/10/ to £14; Brunner Mond, 70 to 72 per cent., £12/10/ on spot, 2/6 less to arrive; B.M., 76 to 77 per cent., £13/15/; silicate soda, liquid, £7 for parcels, lump £8/5/, parcels; soda ash, £6/15/ in 10's, £7 in 5's, £7/10/ in 3's.

Carb. ammonia: B.M., lump, in 2cwt cases, /5 per lb; powdered, /6½ per lb.

Carbide: £13/15/ to £14/5/, in parcels, according to brand: £15 to £15/10/ distributing.

Caustic potash (electrolytic): 90 per cent., £42 per ton.

Cyanide: /8½ per lb.

Citric acid: Spot, 1/6 per lb.

Strychnine: Spot and to arrive, 2,5½ per ounce.

Muriate of ammonia: Galvanisers' crystals, £35/10/ to £36 per ton; battery crystals, £45.

Flowers of sulphur: Parcels, £8/17/6.

Phosphorus: In 10lb tins, 2/2.

OILS.

Kerosene (per gallon): Snowflake, ex store, Sydney and Newcastle, /10½, to arrive /10½; Light of the Age, /10; Royal Daylight engine kerosene, /8½ f.o.r. or f.o.b., Sydney and Newcastle; petrolite, engine kerosene, /7½.

Turpentine (per gallon): Pratt's, 4/4½; Pinetree, 4/3½, distributing; Russian, pure vegetable, 3/9; mineral, socony and art, 2/4.

Castor oil: Distributing, 3/5 per case, 3/3 in drums; parcels, 3/4.

China: Pure, No. 1 5/10, No. 2 5/4; denaturated (under Customs supervision), 3/6 per gallon.

Stockholm tar, imported: Best 6/10½ parcels, 7/3 to 7/6 distributing; Morrison's, 5/9 to 6/ parcels, 6/3 distributing.

Whitelead: First brands, £32 per ton; quarters, £33; second brands, £2 less per ton; distributing lots 1/6 extra per cwt.

Redleads: First brands, £27 in cwts, £28 in qrs; second brands, £1 per ton less.

Zinc, White: Dry, Australian Red Seal, £31/10/ per ton net, £33 in small lots net; ground, in oil, £37/10/ per ton; English, dry, £38 per ton; in oil, £40/10/ distributing lots.

Linseed oil (per gallon): First brands, spot, raw, 5/7; double-boiled, 5/9; second brands, raw 5/5, boiled 5/7; local, 4/11 in casks, 5/2 in drums.

Motor car spirit: 1/6 4-gallon tins, 1/8 2-gallon tins.

Benzoline: 1/8 per gallon; gasoline, 2/5; naphtha, 1/6 per gallon; benzine, 5/4 per gallon.

Rapeseed: Extra special, to 4/; No. 1, 3/9; Colza, recognised brands, 4/3 to 4/9, according to brands.

Cottonseed oil: Union winter drawn to 6/6, in cases, according to quality; Soya bean oil, refined, 5/8.

Whale: Machine, filtered, 2/7 net, wholesale.

Cod: Norwegian, 2/6; Newfoundland, 2/5.

Japanese fish: No. 1 Yokohama herring, 3/ per gallon.

Creosote: Pure, 2/ per gallon in casks, 2/6 in drums; two-gallon tins 2/9, gallon tins 3/.

Cocoanut oil: £43 per ton, prompt net cash.

Oleine: Dark £30, pale £32 per ton net.

Rosin oil: 3/7 per gallon.

Neatsfoot: Pure, 2/9 per cask, 3/ per drum, net; compound, 2/3 to 2/6.

Fly-blown sheep oil: Morrison's cases, 2/6 per gallon; drums, 2/9.

Footrot oil: 3/3, in drums.

Olive oil: South Australian, 32/ per doz. quarts, 16/ per doz. pints; imported, 10/6 to 12/6 per gallon.

Lucca: C. and B., half-pints 10/6, pints 18/9, quarts 36/ a doz.

Lamp oil: Morrison's 3. 2/6, M. 2/6, 1 and 2 gallon tins /3 extra.

Wool-marking oils: Australian, black 2/ to 2/3, according to brand; other colours, 2/9; imported, from 2/6 to 4/, according to brand.

METALS.

Fencing wire:—Black: English, No. 10, £10/5/; German, ex store, No. 8 to £8/10/, No. 10 £8/17/6; American, No. 8, £8/10/, No. 10 £8/17/6.

Galvanised: German, No. 6 £10/5/, No. 8 £10/5/, No. 10 £10/15/, No. 12 £11/15/; American, No. 6 £10/5/, No. 8 £10/5/, No. 10 £10/15/, No. 12 £11/17/6.

Barbed wire: Australian, 12-gauge, close set £12/12/6, long set £12/17/6 per ton; 14-gauge, close set £13/17/6, long set £14/2/6; special 12-gauge, close set £15/17/6, long set £16/2/6; special 14-gauge, close set £17/2/6, long set £17/7/6; 4-cwt. reels 5/ a ton extra; American, Iowa, 14, £16/10/, No. 12 £15; long-distance, English, £17/7/6 to £18/10/ for 12 and 14 gauge respectively.

G.C. iron: First brands £18/5/, second brands £17/15/, third brands £17/5/, in 6ft lengths; in 9ft lengths, 15/ more, 10ft lengths 30/ more than 6ft; unbranded, on spot, £16/12/6 up to 8ft lengths.

Plain G. iron, 24, 26, and 28 gauge: First brands, £17/10/, £17/15/, £19/5/; 10/ less for second brands 16 and 26 gauge, 5/ less for second brands 28 gauge.

Bar iron: £11 in ton lots; shoeing iron, £12; shoeing steel, 12/ per cwt; Carnegie's X shoeing, £12 per ton.

Hoopiron: Galvanised, £15/10/ for regular sizes, others to £17/10/ per ton, 10/ extra in cwts; black 12/ per cwt; galvanised, trade size, 11/6 cwt cask lots, 10/6 for loose lots.

Wire nails: According to revised list net for case lots; broken stock, 5 per cent. extra.

Explosives: Dynamite, 43/; gelignite, 41/; gelatine dynamite, 50/6; blasting gelignite, 55/6 per case of 50lb; ordinary blasting powder, /6¾ per lb; fuse, first brands, double tape, /3½ per coil in case of 500 coils; second brands, /6 per coil.

Tinplates: I.C. coke, 20 x 14, 16/9 to 17/ according to quantity; I.C. charcoal, to 17/9; 28 x 20, 34/; XX coke, 20 x 14, 22/6.

Cement: Imported, 13/ to 13/6 per cask, according to brand; local, 12/6 for three bags on trucks Darling Harbour.

Iron tanks: 400-gall., 75/; 200-gall., 32/6.

Axes: Kelly's to 43/ per doz.; Plumb's, 50/; Collins', 46/. Handles, leading imported brands, 11/6 to 13/; Australian, 9/.

Hayforks: 5ft, 3-prong, 21/; 5½ft, 22/6; 6ft, 23/6; 6½ft, 25/6; 7ft, 26/ per doz.

Scythe blades: B.Y., 36in, 34/ per doz.

Sheep Shears: TUS original case lots 33/6, open stock 34/.

Nettings: Australian, per mile, 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £33/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, £31/5/; 42 x 1½ x 18, A, £25; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £23/17/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £29/2/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, £26/10/; 42 x 1½ x 18, A, £20/15/; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £19/17/6; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £29/10/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £27/12/6; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £21/18/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £29/18/; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £25/15/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £23/7/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, A, £18/5/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £17/7/6. Imported: 42 x 1½ x 17, A, Whitecross, to arrive, 32cwt, £31/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, W.U., 32cwt, £30/5/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, W.U., to arrive, 28cwt, £30; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., to arrive, 28½cwt, £28/5/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, Summit, 28½cwt, £28/10/; 42 x 1½ x 18, A, W.U., to arrive Franken, 25cwt, £24; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, W.U., 28cwt, £24/15/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 25cwt, £22/15/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, Summit, 25cwt, £22/10/; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, W.U., 18½cwt, £17/15/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 25cwt, £23; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 21½cwt, £19/15/.

Steelplate: £10/5/ to £10/10/ per ton, ¼in to 17-gauge, for parcels; 11/6 per cwt for smaller lots.

Rabbit traps: Griffiths', tanks 9/6, open 9/9; jump traps, 9/.

Sheet lead £18 a ton in full rolls, 19/ per cwt. in cut rolls; pig lead, £15 a ton; lead pipes, in coils, 22/6 per cwt.; length pipes, in 10ft lengths, 24/6 per cwt.

Piping and fittings: English made black, 73½ off list, galvanised 66½, steam 66½.

Guttering and downpiping: 40 to 45 per cent. off list.

Galvanised roofing screws: 50/ per cwt.

Ingot tin: 2/ per lb.

Zinc sheets: £28 a ton in 5cwt casks for parcels.

Perforated zinc: 2/7 parcels, 2/9 to 3/ distributing.

Quicksilver: 2/10½ per lb.

Plaster: King's Windsor, spot, 16/ to 16/6.

Cartridges: 12-gr., C.F., 72/6; 22 calibre, R.F., black powder, 13/3 short, 14/6 long; smokeless, 14/3 to 16/9.

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday totalled 6652 bales.

BREADSTUFFS.

ADVANCE IN FREIGHTS.

The wheat market was easy yesterday at unchanged prices. While buyers of parcels would not advance beyond 3/8, the lowest that sellers would go was 3/8½, and even at that price there was little offering. Shippers were on the same basis as that ruling since Monday—3/3 to the grower, at country stations, equal to 3/7 to 3/7½ ex trucks, Sydney. London was cabled easier owing to freer offerings from Russia. No business was reported. Freights had advanced 2/6 per ton, being the price for a sailer for prompt shipment, and 26/6 for January loading. No steamers were offering.

A steady business was done in flour at £8/15/ per ton.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 724 tons of wheat and 140 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

Wheat was steady at 3/6 for farmers' lots, Port Adelaide. A quiet selling movement was in progress. Nothing was doing in large parcels. The nominal value was 3/8. Flour was quiet up to £8 f.o.b., and to £8/10/ delivered. Bran and pollard were unchanged at /12½ to /13 f.o.b. or delivered. Small business was done in chaff at 77/6 to 80/ f.o.b. Very little was doing in Algerian oats ex store at 2/3½ to 2/4. Other lines were unchanged.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Wheat was easier, and opened at 3/8 to 3/8½, but closed at 3/8, with fair business. Flour made £8/10/. Bran and pollard brought £5; barley, malting, Cape, feed 3/ to 3/3. Oats were firm, Milling Algerians made 2/2½ to 2/3, feed 1/10 to 2/2. Peas, Duns, brought 3/3 to 4/3. Maize was firmer. Prime sold at 3/ to 3/1, ninety-day 3/5 to 3/8½. Chaff was firmer for best classes. Special oaten made 72/6 to 77/6, No. 1 oaten 67/6 to 70/, No. 2 60/ to 65/, No. 1 wheaten 70/ to 72/6, No. 2 60/ to 67/6. Manger hay sold up to 110/, sheaves 65/ to 75/, chaffing sheaves 45/ to 60/. Victorian straw 27/6 to 35/. Tas. 47/6 to 55/. Potatoes were dull. Carmens made £4 to £5; Snowflakes, £2/15/ to £4/15/; Excelsiors, prime, £4/10 to £4/17/6; Redskins, £4/10/ to £5; Pinkeyes, £1/15/ to £2/15/. Onions brought 60/ to 70/. Business in tea included 160 chests Indian and 100 packages Ceylon. Cream of tartar was firm with business on the spot and for early arrival. Cornsacks were quiet at 5/6 on the spot, 5/6 to 5/8½ forward delivery. Bran bags made 4/1½. Woolpacks sold at 2/5½. Shearing requisites are in good demand.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the live stock market to-day 2365 fat cattle were yarded, comprising 650 from New South Wales, 700 from the north-east district, 400 from the northern district, 350 from Gippsland, 50 from South Gippsland, and 200 from the western district. Only a moderate number of pens of prime heavyweights came forward, of which about 60 head were bought for Western Australia. The quality, however, was well suited to trade requirements, consisting chiefly of moderate and serviceable weights, with a full proportion of second and useful cows. The demand was fairly sustained, and in most instances prices ruled fully equal to late rates. Quotations:—Prime pens bullocks, from £9/10/ to £10/7/6; extra ditto, from £11/10/ to £12/17/6; show beasts, to £27; good ditto, from £8 to £9; good lightweights, from £7/10/ to £7/15/; second ditto, from £6. Prime heavy cows, from £8/10/ to £9/5/, with show beasts to £19/10/, others from £4. Fat calves: 300 were penned, which realised advanced rates. Prime steers and heifers brought from 80/ to 100/; extra heavyweights from £6/5/ to £8/15/; good ditto, from 65/ to 75/; prime calves, from 55/ to 65/; good ditto, from 40/ to 50/; with small vealers from 20/ to 35/.

MEAT MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Prices in the Metropolitan Meat Market for the week ended to-day were:—Beef, prime bodies, 19/ to 20/ per 100lb; medium, 18/; prime forequarters, 14/ to 15/; medium, 13/; prime hindquarters, 24/ to 25/; medium, 22/ to 23/. Sheep: Prime, /2½ to /2¾ per lb; medium, /2. Lamb, prime, 10/ to 12/ each; medium, 8/ to 9/. Veal, prime large vealers, /2 to /2¾ per lb; medium, /1½ to /1¾; prime, small /2½ to /2¾, medium /1½ to /2. Small calves, /1½ to /2.

PRODUCE.—INWARDS.

HOBART, Wednesday.

The Westralia left for Sydney on Monday night with 19,392 cases fruit, 270 half-cases fruit, 1135 cases jam, 73 cases pulp, 320 cases evaps., 60 cases desserts, 307 bags potatoes, 69 bags turnips, 567 bales straw, 77 bgs bran, 84 bgs pollard, 225 bgs flour, 195 bgs oats, 21 bls and 22 cases hops.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

METALS.

LONDON, Sept. 13, 4.30 a.m.

Closing quotations yesterday were:—

Copper, on spot, b £55/2/6, s £55/7/6 per ton (11/3 down); at three months, b £55/16/3, s £56/1/3 per ton (11/3 down).

Tin, on spot, b £183, s £183/10/ per ton (£2 down); at three months, b £180, s £180/10/ per ton (£2/10/ down).

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

"JUMP" IN MAIZE.

During the past few days maize has been steadily growing firmer. Sydney's weekly consumption is about 5000 bags, and when only 1500 bags arrived on Tuesday, it seemed impossible for prices to remain as they were. Consequently, it was not altogether unexpected, when on Wednesday morning sellers opened by asking 3/4 per bushel. A few sales took place at this price, but later on sellers advanced their price, and although buyers were quite willing to give 3/4, there was no business done. There was every indication that 3/6 would be reached before the end of the week, but the majority of the merchants were doubtful as to whether that price would be exceeded. As a means of relieving the situation somewhat, it was suggested by one merchant that supplies could be imported from New Guinea or some other adjacent island where maize is produced, but it is doubtful to say whether the present price would allow this course to be profitable.

Chaff was very firm, especially as local supplies had fallen off, and prices were slightly better. Best Victorian wheaten, when available, realised £5, and best oaten £4/10/. The market was practically clear of Adelaide chaff.

There was a good demand for Victorian oaten hay, £5 being obtained for best quality.

Owing to the heavy supplies lucerne hay was again slacker, and prices were about 10/ per ton easier.

Almost all the Tasmanian redskin potatoes were sold out at £5; the shipment of Victorian potatoes which arrived on Tuesday, also sold very briskly, at late rates.

Current quotations were:—

FORAGE.

Chaff.—Wheaten, £5. Adelaide: Wheaten, choice £4/15/, prime £4/5/ to £4/10/. Victorian: Wheaten, choice £4/10/; oaten, prime £4 to £4/15/.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Wheaten, £2/15/; oaten, £2/12/6. Victorian: Oaten, £2/10/ per ton.

Lucerne Hay.—Local: Hunter River, prime new green £2 to £2/10/, old summer hay £2 to £2/10/, brown sweated £1/15/ to £2/5/, inferior and rough lots from 25/.

Oaten Hay.—Victorian: £4/10/ to £4/15/ per ton.

Millet.—Local, £28 per ton.

FEED-GRAIN AND OFFAL.

Maize.—Victorian: Prime yellow, 3/4; Northern river, new maize, yellow 3/4 nominal, white 3/3 nominal per bushel.

Barley.—Victorian: Cape, for seed 2/8, feed 2/6 to 2/7; English, feed 2/6 to 2/9 per bushel.

Peas.—Tasmanian: Prime blue boiling, 6/6 to 7/6; others, grey 3/6 to 3/8.

Oats.—Tasmanian: Best milling, white 2/11 to 3/; good stout 2/5 to 2/8; Giants, 2/8 to 2/11. Algerian: Milling, 2/3 to 2/7, seed 2/6. Tartarian: 2/11 to 3/ per bushel.

Bran.—Association price, £5. Pollard: Association price, £5 per ton.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian: Redskins, £5. Victorian: Excelsior, £6; Pinkeyes, £6 to £6/5/; Snowflakes, £5 per ton.

Onions.—Victorian: Brown Spanish, £4 per ton.

Swede turnips.—£2 to £2/5/ per ton.

Parsnips.—£5 per ton.

Carrots.—£3 per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

ADVANCE IN CHEESE.

EGGS SLIGHTLY WEAKER.

CHEAPER BUTTER.

The main feature of interest at the dairy end of the "street" on Wednesday was the movement in cheese, the price of which was advanced /½ per lb, thus bringing the rate for prime loaf up to /7 per lb. Although supplies for some time have been decreasing, the fact that the new season's cheese will be coming in in about three weeks' time, made merchants endeavour to hold out without advancing the rates, but evidently this was impossible. The demand lately has been very brisk, and Western Australian orders have tended to keep the market clear. The advance is expected to be only temporary, as when supplies arrive prices must come down again.

Up till Wednesday merchants had experienced no difficulty in clearing stocks of eggs. Buyers, however, have taken things in their own hands, and were asking for reduced rates. It is hoped that present prices will hold for this week, but after that time a decline is regarded as probable.

The position of butter was much easier, and as heavy supplies are expected to-day, it was decided to reduce prices by 4s per cwt.

Bacon and hams were again very active, but prices remained unchanged.

Current quotations were:—

Butter.—Selected grocers' brands 120/, other prime brands 108/ to 116/, secondary 100/ to 108/, pastry from 86/ per cwt.

Lard.—Bulk /5½, packets /6; special brands, /6½; bulk, /6½ per lb.

Cheese.—Prime loaf /6½ to /7, prime medium size /6½ to /6¾; rough from /4½; special, /6½ to /7 per lb.

Bacon.—Prime factory sides /7½ to /8, flitches /6½ to /7, middles /8½ to /8¾, shoulders /6; special sides, /8½, middles /9½, flitches /7½, shoulders /6½, rolls /9 per lb.

Hams.—Single covers, /10 to /11; double covers, /11 to 1/; special, in seed and double covers, 1/1½; single cloths, 1/1½ per lb.

Eggs.—Suburban new-laid, /10 to /10½; railways, /9 to /9½; rivers, /9; duck eggs, /10 to /10½.

APIARY PRODUCTS.

The following prices were realised.

Honey.—Choice western /3, extra choice /3¼, good northern /2½, dark and candied /2, rough /1½ per lb.

Beeswax.—Prime clear 1/1 to 1/2, dark 1/ to 1/1 per lb.

POULTRY.

Old hens 3/6 to 3/9, extra heavy 4/; roosters 3/6 to 4/, heavy 4/6 to 5/; mixed lots, 3/ to 3/9; English ducks 2/6 to 3/; Muscovy ducks, 3/6 to 3/9; drakes, 4/ to 4/6; extra choice, 5/; geese, 4/ to 4/6; turkey hens, light 4/6 to 5/, heavy 7/6 to 8/6; turkey gobblers, 8/ to 10/, heavy 15/; guinea-fowls, 4/6 to 5/; pigeons, 1/6 to 2/ per pair.

FIREWOOD.

Prices obtained were:—

Best boxwood, 20/ to 21/, good 19/; string, 15/ to 18/; ironbark, 13/ to 16/; best bakers,' 16/, good 15/ to 15/6 per ton.

AUCTION SALES.

REDFERN RAILWAY MARKET.

RISE IN GRAIN.

There was a small attendance of buyers, and a small number of produce consignments at the Redfern railway yard on Wednesday. The main feature of the market was the rise in grain. Competition for all lines of produce was dull, so dull, in fact, that in many instances bids were not given until the whistle had blown, which indicated that the next sale was to be commenced.

Twenty consignments of chaff were offered, and two-thirds of this number were sold. Only prime qualities of wheaten were sold, and the prices realised ranged from 4/2 to 4/9. But one or two trucks realised higher prices by private sales. Prime oaten chaff brought from 4/3 to 4/6. Lucerne chaff was again difficult to dispose of. Only one consignment, out of four offered was sold, and the price realised was 2/3.

Sellers found it difficult to sell their lucerne hay. Prime small brought 5/3, good 4/3, and good large 2/3. One truck of rye straw failed to elicit an offer higher than 4/1, and was consequently passed in.

Both maize and wheat brought higher prices. Good dry yellow maize was sold at 3/3½ and 3/4, which indicate a rise of ½d and 1d respectively on previous ruling rates. Wheat advanced ½d; 3/4 per bushel being realised for one consignment of good quality. Many of the sellers are of opinion that maize will advance to 3/6 before the end of the week, while others believe that it will drop to 3/2. But there is every probability that on account of the small supplies arriving from the country, and the fact that Victoria, Queensland, and Tasmania cannot send large supplies here, maize will be sold at a higher price than 3/6 within the next fortnight, and that the price will not recede to 3/3 during this year.

Competition at the potato sales at Darling Harbour was totally devoid of animation. The few buyers who were present were not anxious to purchase. However, prime qualities sold firmer than yesterday, but good lots were unaltered. Many of the consignments were sold privately, and perhaps this would account for a certain amount of the dull competition and small attendance. Prime brought from 6/ to 7/, and good from 4/9 to 5/3.

Forty-five consignments were offered, and out of this total, twenty were passed in, namely:—Wheaten chaff, 11 offered, 2 passed; oaten chaff, 5 offered, 2 passed; lucerne chaff, 4 offered, 3 passed; lucerne hay, 5 offered, 2 passed; rye straw, 1 offered, 1 passed; maize, 4 offered 1 passed; and potatoes, 14 offered, 9 passed.

Details of the sales were as follows:—

Wheaten Chaff.—From W. Webb, Monteagle, (11..8) 4/4, (11855) 4/4, (16285) 4/3; Patterson, Harefield, (11141) 4/7; ex Wagga, (15413) 4/8; Samuels, Dubbo, (11236) 4/9; ex Temora, (631) 4/4; McFarlane, Wallendbeen, (13033) 4/4; ex Cowra, (906) 4/2; Mutton, Coolamon, (12219) p 5/7; ex Coolamon, (12240) p 4/7 per cwt.

Oaten Chaff.—From Brunskill, Coolamon, (3647) p 4/4; Whelan, Galong, (1615) p 4/1; Hickey, (891) 4/3; ex Millthorpe, (11383) 4/6; Coleman, Table Top, (4207) 4/3 per cwt.

Lucerne Chaff.—From K. I. Gill, Moombi, (10050) 2/3; Barr, (1292) p 2/2; Fisher, Nemingha, (995) p 3/7; 2 bags dust 3/; Glasheen, Lochinvar, (8275) p 1/11 per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—From A. I. Cox, Mudgee, (12883) 5/3; —, (11725) p 1/11; Chaffey, Moombi, (2775) no offer; Pratley, Bathurst, (15993) 4/3; Mudd, Oakhampton, (4741) 2/3 per cwt.

Rye Straw.—Ex Newbridge, (12277) 12 bales p 4/1 per cwt.

Maize.—Ex Wallangarra, (11938) 3/3½; Taylors, (14333) 110 bags 3/3½; —, (11272) 3/4; Mason, Mount Russell, (16002) 3/4 per bushel.

Wheat.—Ex Picton, (3448) 3/4 per bushel.

Potatoes.—From Spackman, Crookwell, (16957) Leonard p 2/9; ex Crookwell, (767) 26 bags Bensley 4/9, 13 bags Moon 3/8, 24 bags Grim 5/, 14 bags A. Rumble 5/6, 33 bags D. Rumble 5/3, (2954) 49 bags Glen 7/, 25 bags Howard 6/; Quarmbey, Gilmore, (6698) p 5/11; ex Blayney, (17078) 61 bags Groening 5/, (12064) Groening p 4/3, (1712) 24 bags Luck p 3/11; Workman, Mudgee, (307) 102 bags p 4/1; ex Millthorpe, (5808) 15 bags reds p 5/3, 36 bags Manhattans p 4/11; ex Springhill, (12125) 72 bags Chapman 5/; Morrison, Newbridge, (5564) 90 bags 5/, (15544) 87 bags 5/; ex Orange, (20) p 5/5, (12967) 30 bags Harris p 3/9 per cwt.

KAMERUKA CHEDDAR CHEESE was awarded the Grand Prix at the Franco-British Exhibition.—Advt.

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VEGETABLE MARKETS.

A medium demand was made for the large supplies of vegetables at the Municipal markets on Wednesday. Prices were only slightly affected.

The following prices were current:—

Cabbages, large 4/ to 6/, medium 2/ to 3/; cauliflowers, large 7/6, medium 5/ to 6/6, small 4/; pumpkins large 7/, medium 5/, small 2/ and 3/, cucumbers, 3/ to 4/ per dozen; carrots, 1/6; lettuce, 1/3 to 1/6; parsnips, 3/; spinach, 1/6 to 1/9; beetroot, 1/6 to 2/; leeks, 1/3 to 1/6, parsley, 2/ to 2/6; mint, 1/3 to 1/9; herbs, 1/; watercress, 2/ to 2/6 rhubarb, 1/6 to 2/; celery, 2/ to 2/6; eschalots, 2/ to 2/3; radishes, 1/6; horseradish, 6/ to 7/6 per dozen bunches; potatoes, local 6/ to 8/6, Tasmanian 9/ to 10/, Early Rose, 10/ to 14/, kidney, 14/ to 18/, sweet 7/ to 11/; onions, 4/6 to 5/; Swede turnips, 3/ to 4/ per cwt; French beans, 4/ to 6/; green peas, 4/6 to 6/ per bushel; tomatoes, 5/ to 5/6 per quarter-case, 6/ to 7/ per half-case.

FRUIT MARKETS.

BANANAS DEAR.

Several descriptions of fruit were slightly duller at the Bathurst-street markets on Wednesday. Best grade fruit was selling well, but any medium or inferior stuff was almost unsaleable. Bananas were very scarce and dear, but other fruits were heavily supplied. Pineapples were firmer, and prices were advanced 6d.

Current quotations were:—

Apples.—Tasmanian: S.P.M., extra choice 10/ to 12/, choice 9/ to 10/, medium 6/6 to 8/; F.C., choice 3/, medium 5/ to 6/ per bushel-case; S.P., choice 5/, medium 4/ to 4/6; N.Y.P., extra choice 9/, choice 6/6 to 7/6, small 5/ to 5/6; Sturmers, choice 7/ to 7/6, medium 5/ to 6/6 per bushel-case.

Bananas.—G.M., 17/ to 17/6 per case, 4/ to 10/ per bunch; Fiji, 16/ to 16/6 per case, 3/6 to 8/ per bunch, loose, choice 8/ to 9/ per case. Queensland: Cavendish 8/ to 12/; sugar, 8/ to 12/; "ladies' fingers" 8/ to 12/ per case.

Cocoanuts.—Best 13/6 per pack, 2/6 to 3/ per dozen.

Custard Apples.—Queensland, 8/ to 10/, choice 11/ per tray.

Ginger.—Preserved, 6/6 to 7/6 per 10lb box; green, /7 per lb.

Lemons.—Local: Choice coloured, 3/ to 3/6, medium 2/ to 2/6 per gin-case; small or inferior practically unsaleable.

Loquats.—Choice 6/ to 7/, medium 3/6 to 4/, small 2/ to 2/6 per half-case.

Mandarins.—Local: Emperors, choice 6/ to 7/, medium 3/ to 3/6, small 1/6 to 2/6 per gin-case; Thornies, choice 3/ to 3/6, medium 1/6 to 2/ per half-case, small 1/6 to 2/6 per gin-case.

Oranges.—Local: Choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/ to 4/, small 1/6 to 2/6 per gin-case; Navels, choice 10/ to 12/, medium 5/ to 6/, small 3/ to 3/6; Sevilles, 2/6 to 3/ per gin-case. South Australian: Navels, choice 9/ to 12/6 per bushel-case.

Paw-paws.—4/ to 5/ per half-case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 5/ to 9/, medium 4/ to 5/ per half-case, small 3/ to 4/ per gin-case.

Pears.—Victorian: Vicars, choice 6/ to 6/6, medium 3/6 to 4/6; Josephines, extra choice 11/ to 12/, choice 7/ to 8/, medium 7/ to 8/; Broome Park, choice 7/6 to 8/6; Kieffers, choice 6/6, medium 5/6; W.N., choice 11/, medium 8/ to 9/ per bushel-case.

Pineapples.—Queens, 6/6 to 7/6; Commons, choice 6/6 to 7/6, extra choice 8/; Ripleys, choice 6/6 to 7/6, medium 4/6 to 5/ per case.

Strawberries.—Queensland: Choice 4/6 to 5/, good 3/6 to 4/, medium 2/6 to 3/, small 2/ per three-quart tray.

Tomatoes.—Queensland: Choice 4/6 to 5/, medium 3/6 to 4/, small 2/ to 2/6 per bushel-case.

MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Wholesale Fruit Merchants' Association reports prices per case as follows:—Victorian fruit: Apples, eating, Jonathan, 3/ to 8/; Five Crowns, 2/6 to 7/; Rome Beauty, 3/ to 8/; Rymers, 3/ to 7/6; Yates, 2/6 to 9/; cooking, 2/ to 6/; passionfruit, first quality 16/ to 22/, second ditto 7/ to 12/; lemons, Mildura 2/ to 4/6; oranges, ditto, 5/ to 7/6, navel 8/ to 9/. Queensland fruit: Bananas, 18/ to 22/; ditto, bunches 2/6; mandarins, 7/ to 9/; oranges, Maryborough, 6/ to 9/6; pineapples, 5/6 to 7/6. New South Wales fruit: Mandarins, 4/ to 7/6; oranges, 2/6 to 8/; passionfruit, first quality, 12/ to 22/; second ditto, 7/ to 12/. South Australian fruit: Oranges, navel, 7/ to 11/. Tasmanian fruit: Apples, French Crab, 5/6 to 6/6; Sturmer Pippins, 5/6 to 6/6.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

The following stock trucks have been ordered for the forthcoming sales:—September 18, 264 sheep vans and 182 cattle waggons; September 21, 309 sheep vans and 98 cattle waggons.

STATION PRODUCE SALES.

The Sydney Woolselling Brokers' Association, viz., Australian Mercantile Land and Finance Co., Ltd.; John Bridge and Co., Ltd.; Dalgety and Co., Ltd.; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd.; Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.; Hill, Clark, and Co., Ltd.; New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd.; Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd.; Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.; Schute, Bell, and Co., Ltd.; and Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., report:—

Furskins.—Kangaroo, wallaroo, swamp and rock wallaby, bear, and goat skins realised full rates, while small scrub wallaby were dearer. Rabbitskins: Best descriptions were practically unchanged, while other sorts were /½ lower. Some lines of low-grade skins were /1 per lb below late rates. Opossumskins: 125,217 were offered. The market was rather irregular, rumpers being weaker, while best descriptions were rather dearer. Quotations:—Grey kangaroo, small /10 to /19, each, medium /20 to /49, large /50 to /81; red kangaroo, small /6 to /12, medium /15 to /39, large /40 to /86; wallaroo, small /10 to /19, medium /20 to /30½, large /31 to /43; scrub wallaby, small /2½ to /7½, medium /8 to /13½, large /14 to /26; swamp wallaby, small /4 to /13, medium /15 to /30, large /31 to /51; rock wallaby, to /13; goats, to /49; bear, to /29. Rabbitskins: Super /14 to /16½ per lb, prime /12½ to /14, good /11 to /12, medium /8½ to /10½, milky does /7 to /9½, kittens and lower sorts /5 to /7.

Opossumskins.—Grey, super 34/ to 37/6 per dozen, exceptional to 47/, first 27/ to 32/, second 21/ to 25/6, third 15/ to 20/; red, super 31/ to 35/, first 23/ to 27/6, second 17/ to 22/, third 14/ to 16/6; rumped, top 18/6 to 22/9, first 13/6 to 17, second 8/ to 13/; torn and weevily, 6/ to 8/; black, super 42/ to 52/, first 25/ to 40/, medium 15/ to 24/, inferior 8/ to 15/; foxskins to 100/; hares to 6/3 per dozen.

Leather.—Sales were held yesterday by Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., and Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd. There was a good sale for the better classes of dressed leather, which brought late prices. Sole also found a ready sale, but basils were very quiet. Good bridle and strap is scarce, and high prices are now ruling for suitable lines. Quotations:—Cow tweed, /16 to /17 per lb; yearling tweed, /18 to /19 per lb; calf tweed, /18 to /21 per lb; waxed yearling, best /17 to /19, heavy /15 to /16½ per lb; waxed calf, /22 to /27; kip, best light /15½ to /16, heavy /14 to /15 per lb; dressed splits, /6 to /9½ per lb; sole, extra heavy /14½ to /16, heavy /13 to /14, medium /11½ to /13, light /10½ to /11½, damaged /5 to /9; harness, brown /14 to /15½ per lb, black /14½ to /16 per lb; bridle, 14/ to 17/ per lb; bag, 12/6 to 15/ per lb; basils, saddlers' 14/ to 19/ per lb, shoe 1/6 to 11/ per lb.

CITY YARDS.

The bulk of the 800 calves penned at the City Yards on Wednesday was composed of small descriptions. As supplies were much in excess of the demand, competition was rather weak, and prices throughout were lower.

Prices realised were:—

Vealers, best, to 48/6; good, from 40/ to 45/; others, from 30/.

Bobbies, best, from 24/ to 27/; good, from 16/ to 21/; medium, from 8/ to 13/; inferior, from 5/.

WOOL SALES.

SYDNEY.

Wool sales were held yesterday at the Sydney Wool Exchange, when the quantity catalogued totalled 4034 bales, and the sales, including private transactions, amounted to 3839 bales, as under:—

Broker.	Offerings.	Sales. At auction.	Privately, ex Catalogue.	Privately, uncatalogued.	Total Sales.
Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd.	1636	781	237	525	1543
Dalgety and Co., Ltd.	2398	2202	185	9	2396
Totals	4034	2983	422	534	3939

The market reflected the features of the previous day's auctions. Fine quality wools were in good demand, whilst faulty sorts continued irregular. Crossbreds were in good demand at late rates. The better classes of scoureds sold well, but faulty lines were irregular. The highest price for greasy was /11¾, and for scoureds /22½.

Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., offered a catalogue comprising a few well-grown western wools, more or less dusty. In the grease the highest price was /11¾, paid for 19 xb e of HS Waroonga (Burren Junction), 10 xb h making /11¾. This was a stylish crossbred wool of deep staple. Other sales were:—P/Peri (Attunga), 12 e at /9¾, rather short, good quality, light condition, seedy; GF Fairview (Warren), 11 1st com e at /9¾, 6 e at /9, deep grown, medium quality, dusty, touched with burr; FM Strathgyyle (Moree), 12 1st C e at /10¼, 11 2nd at /8½, well bred, good length, dry; H Wee Elwah (Hillston), 35 A at /9¾, 14 B at /8¼, good length, useful quality, more or less dusty; Wellmoringle/GNM and Co. (Brewarrina), 12 2nd com at /8¼, 8 1st clo at /8, 9 bels at /9, fair length, rather uneven, good quality, dusty; Dromana/OH (Moree), 9 2nd com w e at /9¾, 10 pcs at /9¾, well bred, medium growth, good quality; JW/D/Mullary (Bulyeroi), 16 xbd at /10¼, rather short, good quality, touched with burr; CRO/Collewaroy (Brewarrina), 22 1st com e at /9¼, 12 clo at /7½, 11 bels at /7½, fair length, dusty; JHN/Gordon (Moree), 13 1st com h at /11¼, 8 1st com at /10, medium growth and quality, uneven condition; LAOR (Gunnedah), 11 xbd h at /8, medium quality dull, dusty, burry. Scoured: G and S (Brewarrina), 6 1st com at /18¾, dull, dry, bulky.

Dalgety and Co., Ltd., brought forward a catalogue embracing consignments from the Gwydir, Riverina, Namoi, and Castlereagh districts, the whole representing a fair average selection in the grease, with a choice consignment of scoured wool from Central Queensland. In the grease the highest price was /11¾, the following being the principal sales:—H. and Co./Welbondongah (Moree), 23 A com e at /11¾, 14 A com e at /11¼, 33 1st com e at /11¼, 6 B w h e at /11½, 5 B e at /11, 20 skirts at /10¼, 14 1st lbs at /10¼, good length, fine quality, dry; AMOS/Tulloona (Moree), 25 A w at /11¾, well-bred combing, good colour, healthy condition; HO and P/Talyealye (Hungerford), 7 1st com h w at /10¼, 12 1st com e at /10, 17 2nd com e at /9, very fair length, fine, reddish, dusty condition; Afton (Watten, Q.), 15 A w h e at /10¼, 8 A e at /10, 28 B at /9¾, 28 necks at /9¾, fair length, fine, good quality, dusty tip; Cuba (Whitton), 47 A e at /10¼, 48 A h e at /10, well-grown, broad quality, liberally nourished; Tubbo (Whitton), 7 sup com at /11, 56 1st com at /9¾, well-grown combing, broad quality, healthy condition; Dungalear (Walgett), 30 1st com e at /9¾, 20 2nd com e at /9¼, 15 1st com e at /8¾, 20 1st com e at 8½, 30 pcs at /10, fair length, fine, thin, and dusty; Gum Swamp, 8 1st com at /9¾, 9 A com at /9, 6 B com at /8¾, bold, shafty combing, broad quality; WTR/Lorna (Coonamble), 15 1st com w e at /8¾, 6 xb at /8¾, fair length, good quality, dusty tips; Aroca/PR (Burren), 16 h at /10, 27 w e at /9¾, well-grown, good colour, and condition; A. J. Park/Narrabri, 11 xb at /9, fair length and condition, skirty; 1 D in dia./Retreat (Bethungra), 17 2nd com e at /9, 10 bkn e at /8¾, bold, shafty combing, broad quality; H. M. Hore/Park View (Morundah), 8 xb at /8¾, fair length, dusty tip. Scoured: Afton (Watten, Q.), 7 2nd com w h at /22¼, and 12 1st clo w h at /21¼, 10 w h at /21¾, 18 1st com e at /22¼, 19 1st pcs at /21½, fair length, fine quality, excellent colour, very nice condition, little seed.

MINING.

SILVER SHARES FLUCTUATE.

COPPER AND GOLD QUIET; TIN STEADY.

The market showed uncertainty yesterday morning owing to some doubts existing as to the accuracy of the brokers' combine cable message, as it showed that the price of lead had suddenly dropped 8/9 to £14. Some members of the Stock Exchange maintained that this must be a mistake, and due to a mutilation in the cable message.

The result, however, was to prevent any local buoyancy in silver shares, especially as the quotations of the London Stock Exchange on Tuesday indicated a lack of strength from a buying point of view. Hence the sales recorded in silver shares were slightly on the weak side in the case of British (old), B. H. South (contg.), B. H. Junction North, and Amalgamated Zinc.

In like manner, there was some doubt as to the accuracy of the cabled quotation of £55/18/9 for copper, showing a recovery of 3/9. Some private cable message stated that copper was easier in London on Tuesday. Anyhow, there was very little vigour in the call for copper stocks, except in the case of Hampdens, which improved to 30/.

Gold stocks were very flat, but in tin shares Tongkah Harbour was well supported, whilst Tongkah Compound were in good request.

There was very little change in the position of affairs during the afternoon, except that British (old) held a firm position at the close of the day, whilst B.H. Junction North, Amalgamated Zinc, and B.H. Junctions commanded steady support, the same being the case with Tongkah Harbour, Tongkah Compound, and Hampdens.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Budgery	—	0 1 1
Chillagoe	0 6 2	—
Ditto, contributing	0 5 3	—
Great Fitzroy	0 3 8	0 3 10
Hampden-Cloncurry, paid	1 9 9	1 10 0
Kangiara	0 5 11	0 6 1
Kyloe, preference	0 2 6	—
Mount Elliott	3 8 6	3 9 10½
Mungana (Chillagoe)	0 2 9	—
Queen Bee	0 4 2	0 4 9
Ditto (new), call paid	0 2 4	0 2 9
Tolwong Mineral	0 1 9	0 2 1
Wallaroo and Moonta	1 14 0	—
TIN.		
Gilmore	0 1 3	0 1 4
Vegetable Creek	0 5 4	0 5 6
Vulcan	0 3 1	0 3 3
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	2 17 6	2 17 3
Ditto Privileged	2 10 0	—
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 7 6	2 8 0
Ditto Block 10	2 0 0	—
Ditto Block 14, preference	0 13 0	0 13 9
B.H. Junction	0 4 6	0 4 7
Ditto, pref.	0 4 9	0 4 10
B.H. Junction North	1 7 6	1 7 9
B.H. North	5 4 0	5 7 0
B.H. South	6 6 0	6 9 6
B.H. South, contributing	6 0 0	6 2 0
Amalgamated Zinc	1 17 1	1 17 3
Kootra Mines	—	0 1 1
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	1 2 9	1 3 9
Sulphide Corporation, pref.	1 10 6	1 12 6
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
Baker's Creek	0 0 11½	0 1 0½
Hardens	0 4 9	0 6 6
Mount David	0 0 6	—
Gold.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Araluen Central	0 2 6	0 2 9
Araluen Redbank	—	0 10 0
Buckland River	0 2 6	—
Tin.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Bourke's Hill Tin	0 2 6	—
Great Britain Sluicing	—	1 2 0
New Wylie Creek	—	0 1 7
Tongkah Harbour Tin	2 7 6	2 8 0
Ditto, Compound	1 15 6	1 17 6
Queensland. Charters Towers, etc.		
Mount Morgan	2 16 6	2 17 0
Oaks Rush	0 2 6	—
Victory	—	0 0 9
Gympie.		
South Great Eastern, No. 2	0 6 9	0 7 9
Victoria.		
Garden Gully Consols	0 2 9	0 3 3
Monument Hill	0 6 0	0 9 0
Ditto, contg.	0 7 4	0 8 0
Western Australia.		
Associated	0 6 3	—
Ditto, Northern Blocks	0 4 6	—
Black Range West, contg.	0 0 10	0 1 0
Bullfinch	0 1 6	—
Bullfinch Proprietary	0 11 9	0 12 0
Great Boulder	0 16 10½	0 17 2
Greenfinch, contg.	0 1 5	0 1 7
Kalgurli South	—	0 1 6
Sandstone	0 1 1½	0 1 2

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper.—Hampdens, odd lot, 29/9; ordinary, 30/; Great Fitzroys, 3/10.

Silver.—B.H. Junction, pref., 5/; British Broken Hill (old), 56/, 55/9, 55/10½, 56/; B.H. South, contg, £6; B.H. Junction North, 27/3; Amalgamated Zinc, 37/3, 37/1½.

Gold.—Nil.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour Tin, 47/3; three months, 47/6.

AFTERNOON.

Copper.—Kangiara Mines, 6/; Queen Bee, (old), 4/2; Hampdens, 30/.

Silver.—Broken Hill Junction, ord, 4/6; ditto, pref. 4/10; British Broken Hill (old), one month, 56/6, six weeks 56/9, and 57/, six weeks 57/, one month, s.o., 57/, ord. 57/3, 57/9; Broken Hill Junction North, 27/9; Amalgamated Zinc, 37/3.

Gold.—Nil.

Tin.—Gilmore Tin, 1/4; Tongkah Harbour Tin, 47/6, 47/9; Tongkah Compound, 37/3.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, Sept. 13.

On the Stock Exchange yesterday shares in Australian mining ventures were quoted as follows:—Broken Hill Proprietary, b 46/, s 47/; British Broken Hill, b 56/3, s 57/6; Broken Hill South, b 126/3, se 128/9.

A brokers' cable message states that amongst the shares quoted on the London Stock Exchange on Tuesday, were the following "middle" prices:—B.H. South, paid, £6/7/6; B.H. South Blocks, 21/6; British (old), 56/6; Amalg. Zinc, 37/; Briseis, 8/3; Mount Lyells, 25/; Zinc, ord., 10/; Hampdens, 29/3; Great Boulder, 16/6; Associateds, 6/6; Northern Blocks, 5/; Boulder Perseverance, 3/10½.

Others (buyers).—Broken Hill Propy., 46/; British (old), 56/3; B.H. Block 10, 41/9; B.H. Norths, £5/5/7½; Mount Lyells, 25/9; Sulphide, ord., 23/3; Amalg. Zinc, 36/9.

Copper was quoted at £55/18/9, or 3/9 up, lead at £14, or 8/9 down; and tin at £183, a decline of £3.

MINING IN THE STATE.

HARGRAVES, Wednesday.

Attention has of late been directed to the saddle reefs on Tucker's Hill. Bond Bros. contemplate commencing development work on their lease of two acres. Portion of the legs of the saddle reefs are exposed by the coach road cutting.

TEMORA, Wednesday.

The Temora syndicate interested in the Muttama gold mine, near Cootamundra, has just had a clean-up, 44 tons of stone for 47½oz of retorted gold. The syndicate has a battery of five head, which was recently purchased from the old Morning Star mine, at Sebastopol, and in a week or two will crush another 50 tons of stone, which is confidently expected to yield 3oz to the ton.

BRITISH BROKEN HILL MINE.

BROKEN HILL, Wednesday.

At the British mine (300ft level) the diamond drill bore No. 134, which passed through the ore body and entered schist at 72ft, entered a second ore body at 115ft. It is in the body some distance, and is still in ore. This may prove an important development, and confirms the views held with regard to the lodes at the lower levels. At the No. 9 level, the south-east crosscut was extended 6 feet to 86 feet, still in a full face of ore. At No. 6 level, No. 1 winze was deepened 6 feet in ore for a total depth of 37 feet. The west crosscut following No. 129 bore was extended 10 feet through good ore, total length 77 feet. The west crosscut following No. 130 bore was extended 5 feet through good ore, total length 47 feet. The new stopes off the crosscuts following Nos. 129 and 130 bores are opening out well, and are returning good ore. The stopes at No. 8 level are also yielding good ore. Hauling operations have been resumed at Thompson shaft. The starting of mill on three-shifts work has been definitely fixed for October 1.

BROKEN HILL MINES.

BROKEN HILL, Wednesday.

The Silver City Blocks Company has been granted a four months' suspension of labour conditions to enable it to raise funds to work the mine on a productive scale.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MINES.

SOME AUGUST GOLD YIELDS.

KALGOORLIE, Wednesday.

Great Fingall, 10,592 tons, gold £16,079, total expenditure £12,882.

Ingliston Consols Extended, 1181 tons, gold £2874, total expenditure £9494.

Chaffers, 2657 tons, gold £4149.

The manager of the Great Boulder Proprietary reports that the diamond drill has gone through a lode 2 feet to the east of the western boundary at a depth of 1934ft, 1050ft north of the main shaft. The ore assays 16dwt per ton.

BROKEN HILL MINERAL EXPORTS.

IMPORTANT FIGURES.

BROKEN HILL, Wednesday.

The following table gives full details of mineral exports by Broken Hill for the past eight months. They are interesting. They are official, as they are prepared from figures supplied to the Customs by the various mining and treatment companies. They, however, do not include the gold, tin, and copper exported, figures not now available:—

	Tons.	Value.
Silver-lead concentrates ..	190,104	£1,205,986
Zinc concentrates	272,543	668,305
Silver-lead crudes	17,442	36,539
Silver-lead slimes	10,991	11,452
	491,080	£1,922,282

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Morning: Amalgamated Zinc, 37/3; British Blocks (old), 56/; Junction, 4/7; Butterfly (contributing), 1/5, 1/9½.

Noon: Radium, £24; Broken Hill, 47/9; British Blocks (old), 56/3, 56/6; Kookynie, 27/; Mararoa, 10/7½.

The closing sales and quotations were:—

Gold.—Chaffer's, 1/5, b 1/4, s 1/6; Golden Ridge, 11/3, b 11/9; Great Boulder, b 16/10½, s 17/1½; Boulder Perseverance, b 3/6, s 4/; Hainault, b 6/10, s 6/11; Mararoa, 10/9, 10/7½, b 10/6, s 10/9; Marvel Loch, b 3/4, s 3/6; Sons of Gwalia, 32/10½, b 32/9, s 33/; Bullfinch Proprietary, 12/, b 11/10½, 12/; Exchange Tanami, b £3, £7; Greenfinch Proprietary, contg, b 1/3, 1/6; Bullrush Estates, contg., 1/4½, 1/7, b 1/6½, 1/7; Golden Butterfly, paid, 1/10, b 1/9½, 1/10½; ditto, contg, 1/9, 1/9½, 1/10; Tarcoola Blocks, b /11, 1/; Tanami Consolidated, 22/, 23/6, b 23/, 24/; Deloraine, £13, b £12/10/, £13/10/.

Silver.—Broken Hill Proprietary, 47/9, 48/, b 47/10½, 48/; B.H. Block 14, paid, b 13/1½, 13/6; ditto, ord., b 11/9, 12/3; British (old), 56/, 57/6, b 57/4½, 57/6; ditto (new), 50/, 51/3, b 51/2, 51/6; B.H. Block 10, b 41/3, 44/; B.H. Junctions, 4/7, 4/8, b 4/8, 4/8½; B.H. North, £5/6/, £5/6/6, b £5/6/, £5/8/; B.H. Souths, paid, b £6/8/, £6/10/; ditto, contg, b £6, £6/2/; ditto, Extended, b 3/3, 3/7; B.H. Junction North, 27/9, b 27/9, 27/10½; Sulphides, ord., b 23/4½, 23/6.

Copper.—Wallaroo, b 34/3, 34/9; Chillagoe, paid, b 6/3, 6/5; Mungana, b 2/8, 3/; Hampden, paid, b 29/6, 30/3; Great Fitzroy, b 3/9, 4/; Mount Morgan, b 55/6, 56/6.

Tin.—Briseis, b 7/10, 8/3.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Silver.—Amalgamated Zinc, 37/6, 37/4½, 37/6; British (old), 55/9, 55/6, 57/6; B.H. Proprietary, 47/9.

Copper.—Mount Lyell, 25/; Hampden, 29/9, 30/3.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour, 47/, 48/.

Gold.—Ajax Central, 15/, 15/3; Cathcart, 14/; do., Central, 14/3; Duke Extended, 3/4; do., paid, 3/3, 3/6; Great Frenchman's Reef, 8/9, 8/6; Glen Mona, 2/10; Great Poseidon, 4/; Langi Logan North, 1/6, 1/10, 1/9; do., paid, 3/6; Langi Logan South, 6/1; New Dempsey, 4/6½; New Dry Diggings, 3/1½; New Langi Logan, 10/11, 10/7; New Shenandoah, 10/6; New Specimen Hill, 3/, 3/1; Nuggety Ajax, 18/6; Nuggety Trafalgar, 3/1; Pearl, 6/4; Poseidon King, 4/6; Star and Thomson, 1/6, 1/7; William Tell, 6/3; Black Range, 42/; Bullfinch Proprietary, 12/; Mararoa, 10/7½; Marvel Loch, 3/3, 3/7.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—No. 1 North Columbia, 2/3; No. 3 North Phoenix and Victory, 1/1; Bonnie Dundee, 1/4; Brilliant Block, con., 1/3½, 1/4, 1/4½; B. Deeps, con., 1/10, 1/8; Kelly's Queen, paid, 2/0½; Durham Consols, 1/8; Oaks Rush, 2/6.

BENDIGO, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—Cornish United, 85/; New North Desperandum, 2/9; New Shenandoah, 10/6; North Langdon, /9½; Pearl, 6/3; Victory and Pandora, 3/6.

LAUNCESTON, Wednesday.

Quotations:—Tasmania Gold Mine, s 2/7; Magnet, b 3/3, s 4/3; North Farrell, b 3/6, s 3/9; Hercules, b 14/; Mount Lyell, b 24/, s 26/; Primrose, b 6/, s 7/3; Tasmanian Copper, b 6/3, s 7/; Mount Bischoff, b £50/10/, s £51/10/; Arba, b 8/9, s 9/9; Pioneer, s 26/3; Mutual Hill, b 1/5, s 2/1.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—B. Central, /8; B. Deeps, 1/10, 1/11; B. Block, 1/4; ditto, paid, 3/4; B. Extended, 8/; Durhams, 1/8; Kelly's Queen, 1/11; Marshall's Queen, 2/9; ditto, paid, 2/10.

TIN-MINING REPORTS.

Broken Hill Tin Sluicing Company, Emmaville, August 28:—No. 1 plant: Treating average value ground, fairly hard, but breaks well.

Melbourne Cope's Creek Tin Sluicing Company, Tingha, September 8:—No. 1 plant: Blowing in wash prospects fair. No. 2 plant: Sluicing overburden, will start to blow in wash to-morrow.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

E. C. V. BROUGHTON.—At the Rooms, at 11.30, Suburban Properties.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. R. LAWSON and LITTLE.—At Rowallan, St. Mark's-road, Randwick, at 11, Piano, Furniture, etc.

H. LEVY.—At 135 Regent-street, at 2, Furniture, Jewellery, Clothing, etc.

DEAN and CO.—At the Rooms, at 11, Theatre Chairs, Rugs, Iron Baths, Quilts, Furniture, etc.

BARNARD and CO.—At Little Oxford-street, Darlinghurst, at 11, Stock-in-Trade, Material, of a Pianoforte Manufacturer, Office Furniture, etc.

A. G. JENKINS.—At 231 George-street North, at 11, Piano, Furniture, Counters, Wire Netting, etc.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street West, at 2.30, Furniture, Crockery, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At the Rooms, at 11, Watches, Jewellery, etc.

H. COHEN and SON.—At 84 George-street West, at 2.30, Furniture, Bicycle, etc.

WOOLF and MANDELBERG.—At 48 Park-street, at 10, Jewellery, Bicycles, Cutlery, Bags, etc.

D. PRICE.—At 47 Market-street, at 11, Jewellery, Cutlery, Clothing, Bags, etc.

WOOL SALES.

At the Sydney Wool Exchange, at 3, Wool.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

C. J. TURNER.—At the Rooms, at 1.15, Ducklings, Chicks, etc.; at 1.30, Eggs, Poultry, etc.

B. O. WALKER and CO.—At Thomas-street, Haymarket, at 1, Eggs, Bacon, Pork, etc.; at 2, Poultry.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Quay-street, at 11, Milch Cows.

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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Nominations for the seven events on the card for the Ascot pony and galloway fixture of the 20th inst will be received by the secretary, Mr. J. Underhill, up to 5 p.m. to-day. The prize money aggregates £400, of which £100 goes to the Ascot Handicap, to be run over nine furlongs, while each of the other items carries £50.

Mr. E. Cowcher, secretary, invites entries up to 8 p.m. to-day for the two days' meeting of the Wallsend Jockey Club on the 20th and 23rd inst. The prize-money totals £700, distributed over 16 races, the principal of which are the Town Plate and Jockey Club Handicap of 100 sovs each. Entries can also be lodged with Mr. P. A. Oatley, secretary Warwick Farm Racing Club, up to 4 p.m.

The withdrawals notified yesterday in connection with the A.J.C. spring meeting were Nurziano from the Derby, and True Form from the Breeders' Plate and Gimcrack Stakes.

Hot Air was yesterday struck out of the Camellia Stakes in connection with the Rosehill spring meeting.

W. Booth left on Tuesday for Cowra with Warstar, Dirk O'Reel, and Kilmeadon, who are engaged in the local races, as are Veronite and Unda, who are in charge of P. Power.

Second forfeit for the Rosehill Guineas, 1911, falls due at 4 p.m. to-day.

The hurdle-racer Bitolia is now being trained by J. H. Lambert, at Rosehill.

Trainers, jockeys, and horsestall tickets for the Rosehill spring meeting can be obtained up to 4 p.m. to-day, at the office of the club.

Mr. James Payten, who some 20 years ago owned and trained horses at Randwick, passed away yesterday at St. Vincent's Hospital after a painful illness, at the age of 55 years. The deceased was a brother to Mr. T. Payten, of Randwick.

Our Gundagai correspondent telegraphs that Mr. E. G. Broben, a well-known sportsman and owner of racehorses, was found dead in the street in Melbourne on Tuesday. Mr. Broben was a resident of Gundagai.

The regular meeting of the board of management of the Associated Racing Clubs takes place next Monday afternoon, as also does the board of appeal. The latter body will consider the appeal of J. Vernon against the decision of the Ascot stewards in disqualifying him for 12 months, together with the gelding Rarata, and the appeals of P. H. Ireland and E. W. Williams against the decisions of the Victoria Park stewards will also be heard.

Our local correspondent telegraphs that the ballot for the election of members of committee for the Bathurst Turf Club resulted as under:—Dr. Busby, Dr. W. Caples, Messrs. W. H. Crago, James Carpenter, Joseph Mockler, Benjamin Edye, John Pratley, Walter Howden, Joseph Pratley, Arnold Rigby, H. Cutler, and S. Williams. The officers of the club are:—Patron, Hon. John Meagher, M.L.C.; president, Dr. T. A. Machattie; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. J. Sullivan, John M'Phillamy, J. Rutherford, J. H. M'Intosh, John Miller, M.L.A., and Dr. Brooke Moore; hon. treasurer, Mr. F. J. Tonkin; judge, Mr. J. H. M'Intosh; and secretary, Mr. R. M. Lindsay.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In addition to Broadsword, Salvator Rosa, Indiscreet, Hondo, and Chariatan, A. Skirving will take the New Zealander Sharpshooter with him to Sydney next week; but no decision has yet been arrived at as to whether Blythesome or Calidor will make the trip. Skirving's team will leave on Tuesday.

Lithosian has been scratched for all engagements at the V.R.C. spring meeting.

NEWCASTLE JOCKEY CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

COLMA WINS SPRING HANDICAP.

NEWCASTLE, Wednesday.

The Newcastle Jockey Club held its spring meeting to-day, in delightful racing weather. The attendance was good, and the racing interesting.

Results:—

Tramway Handicap of 100 sovs, 6f.—Mr. P. McArthur's br g Homewards, by Sir Foote (imp.)—Harvest Home, 6st 11lb (Shanahan), 1; Messrs. Carpenger and English's Dorenia, 7st 5lb (G. Hook), 2; Mr. F. Fallon's Troon, 9st 1lb (Lillyman), 3. Other starters: Owenee, 10st 7lb; Merv Lad, 9st 4lb; Isobel, 8st 6lb; Quentin, 8st 2lb; Currawinya, 8st 2lb; Billiken, 7st 5lb; Ruthide, 6st 10lb; Yarrum, 6st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Homewards, 5 to 1 v Currawinya, 6 to 1 each v Troon and Quentin, 7 to 1 v Merv Lad, 10 to 1 v others. Billiken jumped off in front, but was soon headed by Quentin and Homewards. The latter went out at the turn, and won easily by four lengths. Time, 1m 15¼s.

Welter Handicap of 60 sovs, 7f.—Mr. A. Michael's br g Abbeite, by Merv (imp.)—Wanangui, 7st 7lb (Sanderson), 1; Mr. J. Alward's Crown Thistle, 9st (Alward), 2; Mr. P. McCarthy's Comus, 9st 12lb, 3. Other starters: Wangajong, 9st 8lb; Lady Hasty, 9st 2lb; Glengarriff, 8st 12lb; Coolahburragundy, 8st 9lb; Golden Trist, 8st 7lb; Peary, 8st 4lb; Schneider, 8st 4lb; Torca, 7st 12lb; The Wheedler, 7st 10lb; Minie, 7st 7lb; Jewel Stone, 7st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v Abbeite, 7 to 1 each v Coolahburragundy and Peary, 8 to 1 Schneider, 10 to 1 v others. The Wheedler was first away, but the favourite led round the turn and romped home an easy winner by two lengths. Time, 1m 30s. A protest was lodged against the winner, but on investigation was dismissed.

Spring Handicap of 100 sovs, 1¼m and 100yds.—Mr. S. H. Lamond's br h Colma, by San Francisco (imp.)—Miss Trenton, 5yrs (Lamond), 1; Mr. D. U. Seaton's Blue Flyer, 7st 8lb (F. Hood), 2; Mr. W. M'Curley's Tristram, 7st (G. Hook), 3. Other starters: Bindyjar, 8st 12lb; Potassium, 8st 4lb; Lady Fucile, 7st 8lb; North Coast, 7st 2lb; Ola, 6st 10lb; Lady True, 6st 7lb; Vaida, 6st 7lb; D.S.O., 6st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 2 each v Colma and Potassium, 3 to 1 Bindyjar, 8 to 1 v Blue Flyer, 10 to 20 to 1 v the others. Blue Flyer led the field for the greater part of the journey, Colma, Vaida, and Lady Fucile moving up at the turn. Colma led into the straight, followed by Lady Fucile. Blue Flyer moved up at the stand, but was unable to get near the favourite, who won by three lengths. Time, 2m 17¾s.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—Mr. P. W. Horan's ch m Miss Luna, by Flavus (imp.)—Spanish Lady, 5yrs, 9st 5lb (Barnett), 1; Mr. G. A. John's Lady Legation, 7st 5lb (Alward), 2; Mr. J. G. Cameron's Fume, 7st 8lb (Mitten), 3. Other starters: Isobrious, 8st 12lb; Louis Brook, 8st 8lb; Royal Mount, 7st 11lb; Orrysmith, 7st 11lb; Maying, 7st 7lb; Hunt Blue, 7st 7lb; Bewilder, 7st 7lb; Lady Hush, 7st 5lb; N.S.W., 7st; March On, 7st; Cyanide's Daughter, 7st; King Prudent, 7st. Betting: Even money on Miss Luna, 4 to 1 v Louis Brook, 7 to 1 v Isobrious, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. The favourite led into the straight, and was challenged by Lady Legation. Barnett rode a vigorous finish, and Miss Luna won by a half-neck. Time, 1m 16¼s.

Club Handicap of 65 sovs, 1m.—Mr. A. Inkpen's Saxonite, by Sir Tristram (imp.)—Carronade, 5yrs, 8st 3lb (Shanahan), 1; Mr. Wm. M'Curley's Tristram, 7st 6lb (M'Curley), 2; Mr. Geo. John's Port Hunter, 6st 7lb (Williams), 3. Other starters: Troon, 9st 11lb; Cremalto, 8st 12lb; Offa, 8st 8lb; Crown Thistle, 8st; Golden Trist, 7st 7lb; Schneider, 7st 4lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Saxonite, 5 to 1 each v Troon, Cremalto, and Offa, 6 to 1 v Crown Thistle. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 42¼s.

KENSINGTON RACING CLUB.

There was "standing room only" yesterday at Kensington when the above club was in the field with an attractive seven-event pony and galloway fixture. The weather was bright and springlike, and the track at its best. Fields were large throughout, and as the Maiden Handicap—for which 34 accepted—was untouched by the scratching pen, the race was run in divisions. The Kensington Handicap was won by Argyle. Goldlink looked dangerous for the greater part of the journey, but was smothered at the turn. For interference in the Fourteen-one Handicap, Livingstone, who had the mount on Little Fellow, was suspended for a month. Details:—

Maiden Handicap of 50 sovs, second 5 and third 2 sovs from the prize, 4½f.—First division: Sanlenda, by San Francisco (imp.)—Mollenda, 3yrs, 9st 3lb (B. Byrne), 1; Half Moon, 8st 11lb (R. Hart), 2. Other starters: Heiman, 8st 12lb; Bosio, 8st 12lb; Wio, 8st 11lb; Tom Moore, 8st 6lb; Lady Murillo, 8st 6lb; Bowna, 8st 5lb; Playnos, 8st 5lb; Tanothea, 8st 4lb; Sea Lark, 8st 4lb; Early Metford, 8st 4lb; Lady Clarette, 8st 2lb; L.V.O., 8st 2lb; Binnie, 8st 2lb; Seattle, 8st 2lb; Spiteful, 8st 2lb. Betting: 3 to 1 v Sanlenda, 4 to 1 v Spiteful, 5 to 1 v Sea Lark, 6 to 1 v Lady Clarette, 7 to 1 each v Half Moon and Bosio, 10 to 25 to 1 v others. Won by a length and three-quarters. Time, 59½s. Second division: Lady Lotta, 8st 2lb (H. Dove), 1; Game Kid, 8st 4lb, inc. 2lb over (A. Thompson), 2. Other starters: Gloaming, 8st 2lb; Lord Faith, 8st 2lb; Pistol, 8st 2lb; Kenelm, 8st; Coventry, 8st; Lady Melton, 8st; Lord Playful, 8st 2lb, inc. 2lb over; Verna, 8st; Bomb, 8st; Belle, 8st 2lb, inc. 2lb over; Lady Sequence, 8st 4lb, inc. 4lb over; Borre Queen, 8st 3lb, inc. 3lb over; Lilybrook, 8st 3lb, inc. 3lb over; Reldhert, 8st; Hailstorm, 8st. Betting: 3 to 1 v Game Kid, 5 to 1 v Borre Queen, 6 to 1 v Lady Melton, 7 to 1 each v Bomb, Lilybrook, and Lady Lotta, 8 to 1 v Lady Sequence, 10 to 25 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 59½s. Owners divided.

Flying Handicap of 55 sovs, second 5 and third 2 sovs from the prize, 5½f.—Moila, by Little Bernie—Oasis, aged, 7st 10lb (T. Walsh), 1; Tally Ho, 8st 6lb (J. Patterson), 2; Lord Balbanos, 7st 9lb (H. Miller), 3. Other starters: Amy, 9st [illegible]; Smile Maid, 9st 3lb; Fitz Merv, 8st 11lb; Merlbrook, 8st 5lb; Santiago, 8st 5lb; Yucca, 7st 9lb; Overlook, 7st 5lb; Newcastle, 7st 6lb; Crystal Prince, 7st 2lb; Maltha, 7st 2lb; Melrose, 7st 2lb; Lord Beauchamp, 7st 2lb; Lady Sadie, 7st 2lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v Santiago, 5 to 1 v Amy, 6 to 1 v Merlbrook, 7 to 1 v Tally Ho, 8 to 1 each v Fitz Merv, Moila, and Lord Beauchamp, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 1m 9½s.

Fourteen-one Handicap of 50 sovs, second 5 and third 2 sovs from the prize, 4½f.—Realm, by Pilgrim's Progress (imp.)—Sarah, aged, 7st 3lb (T. Walsh), 1; Baby, 7st 9lb (H. Dove), 2; Pop Gun, 9st 3lb (A. Norris), 3. Other starters: Mabel D., 9st 5lb; Sygnet, 8st; Remembrance, 7st 12lb; Swanmore, 7st 9lb; Miss Noni, 7st 5lb; Little Fellow, 7st 5lb; Decima, 7st 3lb; Amelie, 7st 3lb. Betting: 7 to 4 v Pop Gun, 3 to 1 v Realm, 5 to 1 v Mabel D., 7 to 1 v Baby, 8 to 1 v Remembrance, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by three lengths. Time, 58s.

Encourage Stakes of 50 sovs, second 5 and third 2 sovs from the prize, 5f.—Electioneer, by Hautboy—Clarion mare, 5yrs, 8st 13lb (J. Patterson), 1; Conwell, 7st 7lb (H. Dove), 2; Benito, 8st 1lb (C. Naulty), 3. Other starters: Grandois, 8st 3lb; Pomeroo, 8st 6lb; W.H.C., 8st 4lb; Merv Maid, 8st 2lb; Judge Me, 8st 2lb, inc. 3lb over; Theneida, 7st 10lb; Madge, 7st 10lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v Electioneer, 3 to 1 v Pomeroo, 6 to 1 each v Grandois and Madge, 7 to 1 v Conwell, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a length and a half. Time, 1m 3¼s.

Fourteen-two Handicap of 70 sovs, second 7 and third 3 sovs from the prize, 5f.—Resolved, by Waukenphast (imp.)—Rebound, 3yrs, 8st 10lb (A. Thompson), 1; Maid of All Work, 8st 3lb (R. Hart), 2; Odd Sock, 8st 8lb (H. Watterson), 3. Other starters: C.H., 10st 4lb; Miss Mayfield, 9st 3lb; Speedy Meg, 8st; Bile Beans, 7st 10lb; Forest Lark, 7st 5lb; Primus, 7st 5lb; Lady Clarence, 7st 3lb; Lady Zoin, 7st 3lb; Lady Lyon, 7st 5lb; Pretty Polly, 7st 5lb, inc. 2lb over; Olga R., 7st 3lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Resolved, 4 to 1 each v C.H. and Miss Mayfield, 10 to 25 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 1m 3¼s.

Kensington Handicap of 75 sovs, second 7 and third 3 sovs from the prize, 1m.—Argyle, by The Arch—Euralie, 6yrs, 8st 11lb (W. Harris), 1; Arilian, 9st 12lb (R. Hart), 2; Lord Lunn, 8st 4lb (R. Nash), 3. Other starters: Adore, 10st; Goldlink, 8st 7lb; Paul Neron, 7st 8lb; Newcastle, 7st 4lb; Philatel, 7st 4lb; Bombardment, 7st; Millar, 7st. Betting: 5 to 2 v Adore, 3 to 1 v Arilian, 6 to 1 each v Argyle and Goldlink, 7 to 1 v Lord Lunn, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 1m 44¼s.

Fourteen Hands Handicap of 50 sovs, second 5 and third 2 sovs from the prize, 4½f.—Overtime, by Cakewalk—After Ten, 3yrs, 8st 11lb (S. W. Mackay), 1; Lady Triem, 8st 10lb (A. Norris), 2; Lady Fairy, 8st 12lb (H. Duggan), 3. Other starters: L.D., 7st 13lb; Short Patch, 7st 12lb; Elector, 7st 12lb; Phoebe, 7st 12lb; Lady Pyramus, 7st 10lb; Lady Friar, 7st 10lb; Taman, 7st 10lb; Folly Maid, 7st 7lb; Joy, 7st 5lb; Humility, 7st 4lb; Green Rose, 7st 4lb; Lady Beauchamp, 7st 4lb; Little Cheque, 7st 4lb. Betting: 7 to 2 v Overtime, 4 to 1 each v Lady Triem and L.D., 5 to 1 each v Lady Fairy and Elector, 10 to 30 to 1 v others. Won by three lengths. Time, 55½s.

NEW ENGLAND IRISH NATIONAL ASSOCIATION RACES.

OCEAN PILOT WINS A DOUBLE.

ARMIDALE, Wednesday.

The New England Irish National Association began its two days' race meeting on the Armidale racecourse to-day. There was a large attendance, and favourable weather. The new leger reserve was opened, and was largely patronised. Results:—

Opening Handicap of 20 sovs, 6f.—Mr. J. Jewell's b h Ocean Pilot, by Albatross—Fastidious, 8st (Fuller), 1; Mr. J. Fletcher's b g Nulla Nulla, 9st 7lb (Walker), 2; Mr. H. G. Chisholm's b h Lord Denham, 7st 6lb (Maher), 3. Cool Air also started. Betting: 2 to 1 on Nulla Nulla, 3 to 1 v Ocean Pilot, 4 to 1 v Lord Denham, 10 to 1 v Cool Air. Ocean Pilot forged ahead in the straight, and won by a length. Time, 1m 19s.

First Novice Handicap of 15 sovs, 6f.—Mr. T. Tranter's blk g Cronji, by Sweet William—Miriam, 8st 9lb (J. Walker), 1; Mr. R. Lennox's Lord Tristy, 7st 4lb (Dyer), 2; Mr. W. Tyrell's br m Clytia, 8st 2lb (Parkinson), 3. Other starters: Scotch Ayr, No License, Atlanta, Clarenden, Fecility, Tripan. Betting: Even money on Cronji, 7 to 2 v Lord Tristy, 4 to 1 v Facility, 6 to 1 v others. Won by half a length, Clytia two lengths away third. Time, 1m 19s.

N. E. I. N. A. Handicap of 40 sovs, 7f.—Mr. P. J. Fenwicke's b m Eastern Queen, by Havoc—Carnation, 6yrs, 9st (Dougherty), 1; Mr. L. P. Dutton's b h Ambercane, 6yrs, 7st 13lb (Ridley), 2; Mr. J. Jewell's b g Flavantic, 7st 13lb (Fuller), 3. Only three started. Eastern Queen took charge in the straight, and won by three lengths, about a head between second and third. Time, 1m 32s.

First Welter of 20 sovs, once round.—Mr. E. J. Jurd's ch g Pharisee, by Mazzitana—Rippetta, 9st 10lb (Turnbull), 1; Mr. J. J. Mitchell's b g Invermola, 10st 10lb (Fuller), 2; Mr. A. Walker's b g Pinwire, 9st 10lb (Walker), 3. Atalia also started. Betting: Even money on Pharisee, 2 to 1 v Invermola, 4 to 1 v Atalia. A good race between Invermola and Pharisee, the latter winning by about a neck, with Pinwire two lengths off. Time, 1m 46s.

Hotelkeepers' Purse of 20 sovs, 6f.—Mr. J. Jewell's b h Ocean Pilot, by Albatross—Fastidious, 5yrs, 9st 5lb (Fuller), 1; Mr. T. Newton's b h Fourex, aged, 9st (Lea), 2; Mr. T. Smith's b g No License, 7st (Campbell), 3. Dermot also started. Won easily. Time, 1m 21s.

YARRA GLEN AND LILYDALE HUNT CLUB RACE MEETING.

DANEDITE WINS HUNT CLUB CUP.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Yarra Glen and Lilydale Hunt Club races were held this afternoon at Moonee Valley, and attracted a good attendance, although the weather was dull. Details:—

Cooring Hunters' Ladies' Bracelet, 1¼m.—Miss McGregor's Rhombus, by Angel—Glen Mavis, 12st 3lb, claims 7lb (Mr. W. McGregor), 1; Mrs. Kellow's Stariel, 13st 3lb (Mr. J. Slattery), 2; Miss Reynold's Sligo, 11st 7lb (Mr. T. Reynolds), 3. Other starters: Lookup, 12st 7lb; Tawonga, 12st 5lb; Glen O., 11st 10lb. Betting: 5 to 3 v Rhombus, 3 to 1 v Stariel, 5 to 1 v Lookup, 7 to 1 each v Sligo and Orestes. Won by a couple of lengths, with Sligo about a length off third; Tawonga was fourth, Lookup fifth, and Glen O. last. Time, 2m 20s.

Yering Hurdle Race, 2m.—Mrs. Ben Allach's Game Cock, 9st 7lb (H. Cairns), 1; Mr. Moffatt's Ostrich, 9st 9lb (carried 9st 10lb), (Kyle), 2; Mr. Wall's The Cothbrack, 10st 13lb (J. Cheralley), 3. Other starters: Honeymoon, 10st 5lb; Lady Glen, 10st 3lb; Fascinate, 9st 11lb, Chempron, carried 9st 11lb; Jimmy Mac, 9st 5lb; Ratako, 9st 3lb. Betting: 9 to 4 v The Cothbrack, 5 to 2 v Gamecock, 4 to 1 each v Jimmy Mack and Uxbridge, 10 to 1 v others. Won by five lengths, six lengths between second and third; Fascinate was fourth, Jimmy Mack fifth, and Lady Glen last. Chempron pulled up. Time, 3m 54½s.

Yeringberg Handicap, 5f.—Mr. Miller's Rheims, by Maltster—Joan d'Arc, 7st 13lb (H. Leek), 1; Mr. Hassett's Otsono, 9st 13lb (W. Kenny), 2; Mr. Johnson's Lisheen, 7st 11lb (J. Lane), 3. Other starters: Grafton Belle, 8st 5lb; Zealand, 7st 11lb; Clusran, 7st 9lb; Maltronus, carried 7st 9lb; Larry, 7st 5lb; Muziano, 6st 11lb; Lady Gunyah, carried 7st 9lb; Master Bobby, carried 6st 10lb. Betting: 5 to 2 each v Rheims and Otsono, 5 to 1 v Maltronus, 7 to 1 v Lisheen, 10 to 1 v Lady Gunyah, 12 to 1 v Grafton Belle. Won by a couple of lengths, about four lengths separating second and third. Lady Gunyah was fourth, Grafton Belle fifth, Zealand sixth, and Larry last. Time, 1m 6¼s.

Yarraglen and Lilydale Hunt Club Cup, 3m.—Mr. D. Branigan's Danedite, by Alva—Celerity, 10st 7lb (Mr. D. Branigan, jun.), 1; Mr. C. Grice's Lord Kmms, 11st 11lb (Mr. C. Grice), 2; Mr. Rea's Reappearance, 10st, carried 10st 1lb, 3. Other starters: Last Post, 11st; The Hermit, 10st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v Lord Emms, 5 to 2 v Reappearance, 5 to 1 v Danedite, 6 to 1 v Last Post, 8 to 1 v The Hermit. Won by 10 lengths, 20 lengths between second and third. The Hermit was last. Time, 3m 26¼s.

Clare Hill Steeplechase, about 2m 6ch.—Mr. O'Meara's Vanguard, by Valais—Middlemarch mare, 11st (C. Morrow), 1; Mr. Hawthorn's Banshee, 11st 7lb (P. Cowgrove), 2; Mr. M'Intyre's Ricardo, 10st 5lb (F. M'Cabe), 3. Other starters: The Guide, 10st 9lb; Hondo, 9st 13lb; United Kingdom, carried 10st 6lb; Huka, 9st 11lb; Don Q., 9st 2lb; Ivy Rock, 9st; Tom, 9st. Betting: 2 to 1 v Ricardo, 4 to 1 v Huka, 5 to 1 v Vanguard, 8 to 1 v Banshee, 12 to 1 v The Guide, 15 to 1 v Hondo. Won by three-quarters of a length, a head between second and third. The Guide was fourth, Don. Q. fifth, Tom sixth, and United Kingdom last. Huka fell and Ivy Rock ran off. Time, 4m 22s.

Olinda Handicap, 1¼m.—Mr. Coleman's Porch, by Ruenalf—Parapet, 8st (F. Guinan), 1; Mr. E. Morton's Gelignite, 6st 11lb (T. Phillipson), 2; Mr. Loughlin's Merei, 7st 9lb (E. Grace), 3. Other starters: Monody, 8st 9lb; Imprint, 7st 1lb; Posture, 7st 1lb; Aeolus, carried 7st 2lb; Pius, carried 6st 12lb; Narcissa, carried 6st 9lb; Wyreema, 6st 7lb. Betting: 7 to 4 v Monody, 5 to 1 v Merei, 6 to 1 v Porch, 7 to 1 v Gelignite, 10 to 1 v Wyreema, 12 to 1 each v Pius and Posture. Won by half a length, a similar distance between second and third; Posture was fourth, Wyreema fifth, Pius sixth, and Monody last. Time, 2m 10¼s.

Flowerfield Welter Handicap, 6f.—Mr. Thurgood's Lord Illinois, by Euphorion—New Mistress, 8st 1lb (W. Stuart), 1; Mr. Rawden's Icarus, 8st 1lb (G. Lambert), 2; Mr. Uphill's Handyman, 9st 11lb (W. Foulsham), 3. Other starters: Ristori, 9st 9lb; Flavadore, 8st 5lb, allowed 5lb; Sunstone, 8st 1lb; Ditty, 7st 12lb; Dirk Westerley, carried 8st 5lb; Bonnie George, 7st 12lb; Nyan, 7st 9lb; General Max, carried 7st 13lb; Starshoot, 7st 7lb; Powerful, 7st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Ristori, 4 to 1 each v Lord Illinois and Handyman, 5 to 1 v Icarus, 10 to 1 v Sunstone, 12 to 1 v Bonnie George. Won by a length and a half, two lengths between second and third; Powerful was fourth, Sunstone fifth, Ristori sixth, and Dirk Westerley last. Time, 1m 17s.

MANNING RIVER JOCKEY CLUB.

TAREE, Wednesday.

The Manning River Jockey Club's races were held last Saturday on the Taree racecourse. The weather was fine, there was a large attendance, and a successful meeting with good racing. Results:—

Flying Handicap of 15 sovs, 6 furlongs.—Banish, 1; Sir Gibbie, 2; Lute, 3.

Novice Handicap of 5 sovs, 6 furlongs.—Dick Wood, 1; Gan Gat, 2; Worrigle, 3.

Town Plate, of 15 sovs, 1 mile.—Lute, 1; Irving, 2; Eloped, 3.

Second Novice Handicap, of 5 sovs.—Turpo, 1; Gan Gat, 2; Medelia, 3.

SCONE AMATEUR RACES.

WEST MAITLAND, Wednesday.

Subjoined are the weights for the Scone Amateur races on Saturday next:—

Nurses' Handicap, 6f.—Yellow Peril, 10st 13lb; Blue Graft, 10st 13lb; All Hours, 10st 9lb; Halscot, 10st 2lb; Teremite, 10st; Patrarada, 9st 8lb; Pannitanga, 9st 6lb; Flavite, 9st 4lb; Cyanide's Daughter, 9st; Warrah Lass, 9st; Powder Patches, 9st.

Doctors' Handicap, 6f.—Piallah, 10st 7lb; Halscot, 10st 5lb; Jolly Boy, 10st 3lb; Teremite, 10st 3lb; Ala, 10st 1lb; Erinboy, 10st; Alden Bermea, 9st.

Matrons' Handicap, 1m.—Yellow Peril, 10st 9lb; Blue Graft, 10st 9lb; All Hours, 10st 5lb; Erinboy, 9st 7lb; Patrarada, 9st 4lb; Pannitangi, 9st 2lb; Flavite, 9st.

NEW SOUTH WALES TROTTING CLUB.

Subjoined are the adjustments for the meeting to be held on the 16th inst:—

Trial Handicap, 1m 1f.—Miss Nutwood, scr., P; Gay Laddie, 2s bhd., *; Sauerkraut, 2s bhd., †; Kitty's Tux, 2s bhd., P; Owhy Ette, 2s bhd., †; Sunny South, 3s bhd., †; Owhy G., 3s bhd., P; Lulu Boy, 3s bhd., *; Blackwood, 4s bhd.; Huon Tuxedo, 4s bhd.; Huon Star, 4s bhd.; Doris Huon, 4s bhd., †; Dan Dillan, 5s bhd.; Charming Prince, 5s bhd., †; Hebe, 5s bhd.; The Pirate King, 6s bhd.; Don Tux, 7s bhd.; Alliewood, 8s bhd.; Viva, 8s bhd.; Rock Boy, 8s bhd.; Bilikin, 8s bhd.; Tony Lumpkin, 8s bhd.; Whirlwood (late Ribbonwood II.), 8s bhd.; Miss Lely, 8s bhd.; Kohi-noor, 9s bhd., †; Doreen H., 15s bhd., †; Victor Albert, 15s bhd.

Flying Handicap, 1m 1f.—Veronite, scr., †; Star Harold, scr.; Amy Ribbons, scr.; The Quail, 1s bhd.; Van Huon, 1s bhd.; Ribble, 2s bhd.; Patrick G., 3s bhd.; Maffra, 4s bhd.; Merry Roy, 4s bhd.; Coonie, 4s bhd.; Dexter, 5s bhd.; Red Cloud, 5s bhd.; Whirlpool, 6s bhd., †; Chesterwood, 6s bhd.; Valour, 7s bhd., †; Sultana, 7s bhd.; Ribbons, 8s bhd.; Pickwick, 10s bhd.

Trotting Club Handicap, 1¼m.—Miss Doris, scr., †; Blue Tom (late Graygown), scr., †; Warranganset, junr., scr., †; Young Shakespeare, scr.; Lady Hopewood, 1s bhd.; Texwood, 1s bhd.; Wiwo Alto, 2s bhd.; Blackpool, 2s bhd.; President, 3s bhd.; Georgie, 5s bhd.; Amy M., 6s bhd.; Baylee, 7s bhd.; Rose Wilks, 12s bhd.; Rebel King, 16s bhd.; † Bonnie Chief, 18s bhd.; Birchwood Maid, 19s bhd.; Strathbar, 21s bhd.

Tramway Handicap, 1m 1f.—Dan Dillan, scratch; Robert Huon, scratch; Hebe, scratch; Zeta (late Miss Gold), 1s beh; Alliewood, 1s beh; Cerise, 1s beh; Bright Cloud, 1s beh; Nutwood, 3s beh; Whistle, 3s beh; Major Huon, 5s beh; Louza, 5s beh; Doreen H., 6s beh†; Victor Albert, 6s beh; Ribbonvale, 6s beh; Eileen A., 6s beh; Hazel G., 7s beh; *Vanlock, 8s beh†.

Epping Handicap, 1¼m.—Ribbonvale, scr.; Rock Boy, scr.; ‡Lady Burlington, 1s beh; †G.A.R., 1s beh; Hazel G., 1s beh; ‡Royal Oak (late Creamettie, late Creamy), 2s beh; Honest Lad, 2s beh; Rothschild Jun., 2s beh; †The Queen, 3s beh; Nervie, 3s beh; Honest Huon, 6s b.; The Quail, 6s b.; Van Huon, 6s b.; Strathbar, 7s beh; Ribble, 7s beh; Maffra, 11s beh; ‡Valour, 11s beh; Merry Roy, 12s beh; Dexter, 12s beh; Chesterwood, 13s beh; Denver Huon, 22s beh.

† Amateur, allowed 3s.
‡ Amateur, allowed 4s.
P Pony, allowed 5s.
* Allowed 5s for being unhoppled.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

NOTES.

The 30 miles road championship of the Manly B.C. is set down for October 6. The last race for the Harris Cup is scheduled for September 23. On September 30 a one mile track race is to be run on the North Sydney oval, a track that was renowned some years ago for the accidents caused by the stray dogs. The annual smoke concert is to be held early next month, when a general presentation of prizes won during the season will fill an interval. The points scored for the Harris Cup competition so far are:—S. Luker, 8 points; A. W. Pearce, 7 points; W. R. Davis, 5 points; L. Luker and J. Prier, 2 points each.

Members of the South Sydney and Britannia B.Cs. are joining in a combined week-end run to Galston on September 17, to meet at Lowder's cycle shop, Botany-road, at half-past 9. A special general meeting of members of the South Sydney B.C. is to be held at the Bow Bells Hotel on Tuesday night, September 19.

The annual century run of the Redfern B.C. has been fixed for September 24. Members taking part are to meet in front of the Glaciarium, George-street, Sydney, at 8 a.m. Those taking part in the run who ride to the scheduled times will be entitled to an engraved silver badge. Century run tickets can now be obtained from the hon. secretary.

The last week-end run of the Kookaburra Motor Cycle Club was to Wiseman's Ferry. Sixteen members took part in the tour. They started from Crow's Nest, North Sydney, and riding via Pearce's Corner, Castle Hill, Windsor, and Pitt Town, reached the ferry in good time, the roads being in good order. On the return journey the motor cyclists took the turn off to the right of Maroota, and thence through Sackville Reach to Windsor, and then home via Mobbs Hill, Eastwood, and Ryde. The worst stretch of road was from the Eastwood turn off to Hunter's Hill, but this applies to cyclists and motor cyclists who can pick out their tracks. A motor car, or for that matter any 4-wheeled vehicle, would strike trouble on some parts that the cyclists or motor cyclists would not notice. For instance, a motor car driver would have some difficulty in negotiating a patch of sand about the 20 miles peg on the Wiseman's Ferry road and other bad stretches on the tour referred to above.

Just before coming to the 19-mile peg on the Wiseman's Ferry-road the admirer of wild flowers who goes awheel can find plenty, especially waratahs, if he cares to turn off the main road for about a quarter of a mile. Motor cyclists who take up the suggestion that a ride to Wiseman's Ferry is a good one should be careful in going down the last hill, as there are three bad corners to be taken. Motorists should note that although petrol can be obtained at Wiseman's Ferry the lowest quantity available is four-gallon tins.

There were 13 starters in the last week-end hill climb of the Kookaburra M.C. Club, and the final was fought out between A. L. Maddock, 4-cylinder Speedwell, hdcp. 5s, and A. Hinchcliffe, 3½-h.p. T.T. Speedwell, scr. Mr. A. L. Maddock was the winner. A number of members of the club are competing in the open motor cycle hill-climbing contest of the Sydney B. and M.C. Club on Saturday. Therefore the week-end tour to The Oaks has been postponed.

The 10-mile road championship of the Burwood League B.C., to be held on Saturday, will be a paced race. A good entry has been received, including F. and J. Watson, L. and T. Tracey, R. J. Hazelton, W. Erskine, C. Daft, and L. Budin. The race is to be run over the Homebush course, and league riders who are willing to act as pacers should see the hon. secretary of the club at the Horse and Jockey Hotel, Homebush, not later than 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

The Minister for Defence (Senator Pearce) has, according to the report of the Dunlop Rubber Company, granted official patronage on behalf of the Commonwealth military authorities to the despatch relay race next April, in which bicycles, motor bicycles, and motor cars will be engaged. The test is to be from Adelaide to Sydney, distance about 1149 miles. It is proposed that the cyclists shall have 24 hours' start from the motor cyclists, and that the motor car drivers will concede the motor cyclists six hours' start. It should be an interesting contest, and will no doubt be watched with interest by Senator Pearce, who has already shown that he is alive to the advantage of the mechanically-propelled vehicle for scouting and despatch work. In fact, he personally congratulated Messrs. E. A. Pearson and T. Larcombe, who completed the final stage in the last bicycle relay ride, for the fine efforts put up by the cyclists who carried the despatch from station to station across three States without mishaps or blunders.

A five-mile road race for members of the Britannia B.C. is to be held over the Homebush course on September 23. Entries are due next Saturday. Five new members were elected at the last meeting, which brings the membership up to 48. The week-end run is a combined one, members joining in with the South Sydney Club.

The next hill-climbing contest for the L.M.C. Cup, which is being run under the auspices of the Motor Cycle Club of New South Wales, is to be held on September 23. Hon. secretary Mr. R. B. Ludgater states that the club fixed this date on account of the open motor cycle hill-climb of the Sydney Bicycle and Motor Cycle Club being listed for next Saturday.

BOURKE, Wednesday.

A road race, about 8 miles, to-day resulted:—Dave Peters, 7m, 1; J. Sunderland, 3m, 2; Arthur Bell, 7m, 3. Fastest time, J. Cook, scr, 31¼m. Ten started.

ATHLETICS.

BARKER COLLEGE SPORTS.

The annual sports meeting in connection with Barker College, Hornsby, was held yesterday at the Chatswood Oval. At the conclusion of the meeting the prizes were presented by Mrs. F. G. Sargood.

Kicking the football.—E. Howard (51yds).
Broad jump.—R. A. Eaton (18ft 7in).
Throwing the cricket ball.—R. A. Eaton (94½yds).
100yds (under 15 years).—Baker, 1; Sturt, 2; Baylis, 3.
220yds Handicap (Seniors).—Elsworth, 1; Eaton L., 2; Glennie, 3.
120yds Hurdles Handicap (under 16½).—Paine, 1; Whittle, 2; Hagen, 3.
100yds Handicap (under 13).—Hardy, 1; Davis L., 2; Blackwood, 3.
440yds Handicap (under 15).—Baylis, 1; Bolton, 2; Kenyon, 3.
100yds Handicap (Seniors).—Sefton, 1; Loxton, 2; Smith L., 3.
220yds Handicap (under 16½).—Hagen, 1; Rickard, 2; Rammage, 3.
75yds Handicap (under 13).—Rand, 1; Hardy, 2; Davis, 3.
High Jump (Seniors).—Eaton, 1; Howard, 2.
Egg and Spoon Race (under 13).—Rand, 1; Cox, 2; Davis L., 3.
100yds Handicap (under 15).—Gibbs, 1; Baker, 2; Bolton, 3.
College Cup, 130yds.—Eaton.
Sack Race (under 15).—Ramage II., 1; Warden II., 2; Blackwood, 3.
100yds Handicap (under 16½).—Warden I., 1; Ramage, L., 2; Newcomen, 3.
120yds Hurdles Handicap (seniors).—Loxton, 1; Smith L., 2; Pike, 3.
220yds Handicap (under 15).—Bolton, 1; Gibbs, 2; Philips, 3.
220yds Handicap (under 13).—Hardy, 1; Warden II., 2; Davis L., 3.
100yds Handicap (under 16).—Ramage, 1; Rickard, 2; Taylor, 3.
440yds Handicap (seniors).—Rutherford, 1; Davy L., 2; Pike, 3.
High Jump (under 15).—Baker, 1; Sturt, 2.
Three-legged Handicap (under 15).—Traill and Coldham, 1; Mitchell and Gray, 2.
440yds Handicap (under 16½).—Rickard, 1; Carson, 2; Pope, 3.
101yds (seniors).—Rutherford, 1; Loxton, 2; Vindin, 3.
Potato Race (under 13).—Hilliard, 1; Ramage II., 2; Woolcott II., 3.
Sack Race (over 15).—Clark, 1; Newcomen, 2; Pike, 3.
Potato Race (under 15).—Wade, 1; Earp, 2; Mackay II., 3.
One Mile Handicap.—Clark, 1; M'Dougall, 2; Thomas II., 3.
100yds Old Boys' Handicap.—Beith II., 1; Beith L., 2; Litchfield, 3.
Three-legged Race (over 15).—Whittle and Hodel, 1; M'Geachie and Massie, 2.
Flag Race.—Union Jack (Eaton I.), 1; Irish Standard (Rickard), 2; Scottish Standard (Taylor), 3.

WELCOME TO MR. COOMBES.

Mr. R. Coombes, manager of the Australian team which took part in the Festival of Empire Sports, and Mr. W. Smythe, one of the New South Wales representatives, will be welcomed home this afternoon, at the New South Wales Sports Club.

WAHROONGA COLLEGE SPORTS.

The annual sports in connection with the Wahroonga College took place in the college grounds on Tuesday last. The arrangements were well carried out under the direction of the principal, Mr. Walter Treleaven, M.A., B.Sc., and the sports master, Mr. Johnstone. Results:—

75yds Handicap (under 12).—Brown II., 1; Stedman, 2.
75yds Handicap (over 14).—Lumb, 1; Roberts, 2.
Obstacle Race (over 14).—Brown I., 1; Lumb, 2.
Obstacle Race (under 14).—Henderson, 1; Humphreys, 2.
Sack Race (under 14).—Martyn, 1; Henderson, 2.
Sack Race (over 14).—Moore, 1; Brown I., 2.
Tug-o'-war.—Gambell, Cumming, Higgins, Reardon, Moore, Rogers, Kendall, Brown II., Halse.
Egg and Spoon (under 10).—Plummer, 1; Everett, 2.
Egg and Spoon Race (between 10 and 12).—Stedman, 1; Rogers, 2.
Egg and Spoon Race (over 14).—Roberts, 1; Lumb, 2.
75yds Championship of School.—Lumb, 1; Reardon, 2.
220yds Handicap (open).—Wright, 1; Brown I., 2.
Kicking Football (under 14).—Desborough, 1; Kendall, 2.
Throwing Cricket Ball.—Higgins, 87yds, 1.
Long Jump (over 14).—Reardon, 16ft 4in, 1; Rolls II., 2.
High Jump.—Reardon, 4ft 7¼in, 1.
440yds Open.—Brown I., 1; Lumb, 2.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

The annual sports meeting of the Church of England Preparatory School, Mosman, were held at the Sydney C. of E. Grammar School sports last week, the preliminary events being decided on the Mosman Oval on August 28 and 29. Results:—

Throwing the Cricket Ball.—Casper, 68yds, 1; Brooke, 2.
Kicking the Football.—Allsop, 1; Brooke, 2.
Broad Jump.—Brooke, 13ft 2in, 1; Dawn, 2; Hordern, 3.
Egg-in-spoon Race.—Shaw, 1; M'Mahon, 2; Clegg, 3.
Horse and Jockey Race.—Hordern and Curlewis, 1; Brooke and Fraser, 2.
Three legged Race.—Major and Dawn, 1; Brooke and Thompson, 2.
Sack Race.—Hordern, 1; Hine, 2; Pain, 3.
220yds Championship.—Brooke, 1; Casper, 2. Time, 29 3-5s.
High Jump.—Brooke, 4ft 1in, 1; Dawn, 2; Thompson, 3.
75yds Championship, under 11.—Heath, 1; Shaw, 2; Segol, 3. Time, 10 4-5s.
75yds Championship, under 13.—Clowes, 1; Major, 2; Heath, 3. Time, 10 1-10s.
100yds Handicap (open).—Heath, 11yds, 1; Shaw, 10yds, 2; Montefiore, 12yds, 3.
75yds Handicap, under 11.—Shaw, 1yd, 1; Von Drehen, 5yds, 2; Heath, 1yd, 3.
100yds Championship (all schools).—Starkey (C.P.S.), 1; Pike (C.P.S.), 2; Cohen (S.P.S.), 3. Time, 12 3-5s.
50yds Handicap, under 10.—Von Drehen, 3yds, 1; Goddard, 3yds, 2; Miller, 2yds, 3.
75yds Handicap, under 13.—Heath, 7yds, 1; Ward, 8yds, 2; Shaw, 6yds, 3. Time, 9 4-5s.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY UNION.

MANLY DISTRICT UNION.

The Manly District Rugby Union has presented honour caps to several members of the team, including A. Buckley, E. W. Quirk, J. Randell, O. G. H. Merrett. Since the start of competition football in the district in 1906, 72 matches have been played. A. Buckley has played in every first-grade match; J. Randell in 67, E. W. Quirk in 50, and O. G. H. Merrett in 56. The annual concert and presentation of prizes will take place on September 20.

MANLY JUNIOR CLUB.

The Manly Junior Club concluded a successful season by a banquet and smoke concert on Saturday last. The reports showed that the club had played 14 matches, won 10, lost 3, and drawn 1. 25 points were scored against them, while 120 points were registered in their favour. Mr. H. Austin, secretary of the Manly District Club, presided. The toast of the Metropolitan Rugby Union was proposed by Mr. D. Taylor, who mentioned that an attempt had been made to form a League team in the district. He felt certain that the proposal would end in failure. In any event, the Juniors would be well advised in keeping to the grand old game of Union Rugby. The amateur game was rapidly coming back to favour, and would be "in the boom" next season. Mr. H. Austin was presented with framed photograph of the Junior team. Presentations were also made to Messrs. H. Callender, D. Taylor, J. Hewett, and A. Shearer.

OLD FOOTBALLERS' REUNION.

QUEANBEYAN, Wednesday.

A reunion of the old football club players, 1895-1901, took place on Saturday, when players from Yass, Gundagai, Moss Vale, Gundaroo, and Bungendore visited Queanbeyan. They engaged the local Warrigal Club in a match in the afternoon, and were defeated by six points to nil. In the evening the old Seniors entertained the Warrigal team and the supporters of the old club at a banquet. The Mayor presided, and presented the captain of the old club (Mr. R. T. Beatty) with an illuminated address, and the secretary (Mr. W. E. Gale) with a silver teapot and silver biscuit-barrel.

RUGBY LEAGUE.

THE THIRD GRADE PREMIERSHIP.

South Sydney Kinkora, who were defeated by Leichhardt in the third grade final, protested against the game being awarded to the latter club, on the ground that one of their players was residentially unqualified. Evidence was taken by the League committee, and last night it was decided to dismiss the protest.

The residents of the South Sydney district will, this evening, entertain A. J. M'Cabe, the interstate five-eighth. The function will be held in the Crown Theatre, Surry Hills.

Mr. T. M'Mahon will referee the final between Glebe and Eastern Suburbs.

GOLF.

MANLY G.C.

The associate members A and B grade stroke handicap, for trophies presented by Dr. David Thomas, resulted:—

A Grade.—18-hole Medal Play.

Miss Tillett	96—22—73	Mrs. Maclean	104—24—80
Mrs. Metcalfe	102—27—75	Miss H. V. Marks	102—21—81
Mrs. F. W. A. Eagar	102—25—77	Mrs. Brewer	112—31—81
Mrs. Nevill	102—23—79	Miss D. Smith	105—23—82
Mrs. Beal	105—26—79		

B Grade.

Nine-hole medal play was won by Miss Mollie King.

MOSS VALE G.C.

MOSS VALE, Wednesday.

A competition for a trophy presented by the associate members was won by Miss E. Stevenson. The wind was rather troublesome. Results:—

Miss E. Stevenson (4), 50.
Miss L. Morrice (5), 51.
Miss M. Morrice (14), 66.
Mrs. Arnold (15), 82.
Miss Byrie (16), 112.

TAMWORTH GOLF CLUB.

TAMWORTH, Wednesday.

A bogey competition was played on the local links on Saturday, and the following were the best cards handed in:—King, 19—3 up; England, 22—2 up; Scott, 16—1 up; C. Edwards, 15—square; Johnson, 17—2 down; Adams, 27—4 down.

BOWLS.

MARRICKVILLE v VICTORIA PARK.

Played on the Marrickville green, and won by the home team by 58 points to 31. Scores:—

	M.	V.P.
Laverack, Brownlow, Macintosh, M'Gee	26	—
Keene, Leach, Holder, Richardson	—	15
A. M'Coy, Smyth, Bradshaw, Donnelly	32	—
Kean, Davis, Line, Yillings	—	16
Totals	58	31

INTERSTATE BOWLS.

NEW SOUTH WALES DEFEATS QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

The second test match between the New South Wales and Queensland bowlers was played on Toowong green this afternoon. New South Wales again winning, this time by 36 points to 89. This is the first time for several years that New South Wales has succeeded in winning the rubber against Queensland on her own ground. Scores:—

	N.S.W.	Q.
Barnes, Crouch, Harden, Thorpe	24	—
Munro, A. Campbell, Richards, Green	—	32
Hart, Coates, Bullot, Forsberg	20	—
Austin, Docherty, Bell, Gould	—	18
Dean, Louden, Taylor, Phippard	25	—
Whitehouse, Hull, Bryer, Bouchard	—	20
Blundell, Raffan, Denyer, Thorne	23	—
Mooney, B. Macmillan, Colledge, Mendoza	—	19
Total	86	89

HOCKEY ON ICE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The first of a series of three hockey matches between New South Wales and Victoria was played at the Glaciarium to-night. The visitors won by 5 goals to 3. For New South Wales Kendall scored 4 goals and Turnbull 1.

PIGEON HOMING.

The Federated Racing Pigeon Association held their fourth combined race of season last Saturday, from Narranders, 271 miles air line. The birds, numbering 900, were liberated by Mr. R. Slowgrove at 8 o'clock, and the first was timed in at 1.50 o'clock, taking 5 hours 50 minutes to do the journey. The prize-winners were:—G. Cooper, 1360yds, 1; N. Parkinson, 1338yds, 2; M. Tattersall, 1331yds, 3; W. Mercer, 1329yds, 4; W. Whittle, 1328yds 10in, 5; H. G. Moore, 1328yds, 6. The other prize-winners were:—G. Dibley, W. Parkinson, S. Stone, H. G. Moore, G. Hay, J. Booth, R. Pattison, F. Tristrom, H. Deitendahl, W. Parsfield, A. Newland, G. Harrop, G. Whittle, J. Ward.

MARRICKVILLE HOMING PIGEON SOCIETY.

The above society held the fifth race of their old bird series last Saturday, from Cootamundra, distance air line 186 miles. The winner was Mr. J. Fletcher, who receives a gold medal presented by Mr. S. M. Rowell, in addition to the club's cash prize. The results were:—J. Fletcher, 1496yd 0ft 2in, 1; E. Rowell, 1494yd 0ft 10in, 2; W. Hawkshaw, 1490yd 1ft 11in, 3; H. Talbot, 1484yd, 4; H. Ogden, 1481yd 2ft 6in, 5. The others finished in the following order:—W. Farnsworth, A. Seaward, J. Connolly, A. Cayley, C. Alderman, H. Small, E. Lowe.

BATHURST, Wednesday.

Bathurst Pigeon Homing Society conducted a fly from Cootamundra to Bathurst (125 miles air line), with the following results:—Wibird, 1253yds 1ft, 1; Strickland, 1252yds 2ft, 2; Yoo, 1252yds 9in, 3; Flanagan, 1251yds 1ft, 4; Woolfe, 1250yds 2ft, 5.

ANGLING.

QUEANBEYAN, Wednesday.

Mr. Jesse Woodger landed a codfish weighing 30lb in the Lower Queanbeyan River on Monday. This is the largest fish taken from local rivers for many years past. Fish from 5lb up to 20lb have frequently been caught this season.

BOXING.

WOLGAST v M'FARLAND.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 13.

Steps are being taken to stop the Wolgast-M'Farland boxing contest.

The attitude of the Governor is unknown, but it is believed that he is averse to the proposed contest.

The promoters are planning to obtain an injunction to restrain the sheriff from interfering.

JOHNSON COMING TO AUSTRALIA.

"SPORTSMAN" CABLE REFUTED.

A cable was published yesterday that the "London Sportsman" had stated that owing to threatened injunctions in respect to certain music-hall engagements, Jack Johnson had been compelled to cancel his Australian tour. Mr. Hugh D. M'Intosh states that he places no credence in the rumour. "It looks," he said yesterday, "as if an attempt is being made to keep the champion in England, but I have no fear as to Johnson not fulfilling his contract. In fact, the champion has already booked passages for himself and his wife, and valet, and will leave England with two motor cars, with which he hopes to secure the Australian record, by the Orvieto."

RECEPTION TO M'VEA.

Sam M'Vea, the coloured heavyweight, who is visiting Australia under contract to Mr. Hugh D. M'Intosh, will arrive by the Melbourne express to-day, and on his arrival will be entertained at Bateman's Hotel at 11 o'clock. During the trip out in the Argyllshire very rough weather was encountered, and training operation was impossible till the ship reached Las Palmas. Since that time, however, M'Vea has been training persistently and satisfactorily. Several times on the voyage the champion "took his trick" at the wheel in the first morning watch, and clearly demonstrated that he was a true son of the salt. He will at once continue with his training on landing, and is confident of being in the best of condition by the time the day of the fight comes round. The contest is to take place at the Stadium on the 30th of this month.

GAIETY NOVICE TOURNAMENT.

The novice tournament, 9st 4lb limit, promoted by the Gaiety Athletic Club, was concluded last night. In the semi-final Brock beat Jones on points, six rounds and "knock out:" White knocked out Pinkham in the second round. The final was won by "Knock-out" White, who beat Brock in seven rounds, the towel being thrown in from Brock's corner.

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CANVASSERS, toilet requisites, 40 p.c. com., quick-selling lines. 256 Pitt-st, No. 11, second floor.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, 2 good Men. Apply E. C. Donnelley, 155 Elizabeth-st, city.

CARPENTER, good, wanted for Beecroft, 12s, fare. Crandon's Second-hand Store, Harris-st, Syd., 10-11

CARPENTERS (2) wanted, early. 43 Broadway, near Grace Bros.

COACH Bodymaker, for ctry., fare paid, good wages. R. and H. Binnie, Kent-st, Sydney.

CARPENTER, for Fixing. Doncaster-avenue, Kensington. H. Jones.

CARPENTERS wanted. New building, cor. Ben Boyd-rd and Aubin-st, Neutral Bay. C. McCarthy.

CARPENTER, smart; also Boy to learn trade. Armstrong and Sons, 41 Elizabeth-st, city.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, MAN to erect farmhouse. 20 Cook-rd, Centennial Park.

CARPENTER.—Improver wanted, smart. Apply H. J. Alexander, new job, Morton-st, N. Sydney.

CARPENTERS wanted. E. Reynolds, Sloane-st and Parramatta-rd, Summer Hill.

CARPENTER wanted, good, for finishing. Belmore Hotel, Circular Quay.

CHEMISTS.—Vacancy for Dispenser (exam. qual.). S.U.F.S. Dispensary, 15 Commonwealth-st.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, a good Tradesman. Apply 265 Old Canterbury-rd, Petersham, nr. Constit.-rd.

CARPENTERS wanted, good, top wages. Dangar-st, nr. Workshops, Randwick. Hill Bros.

CARPENTER.—Wanted, a gd. tradesman. J. Dodson and Sons, builders, Beresford-rd, Strathfield.

CARPENTER. Back Burton's, Frazer-st, Railway-terrace, Lewisham station.

CARPENTER wanted, Judge-st, Randwick. W. R. J. Coe.

CARPENTER, small job. After 9 a.m., 40 May-st, Surry Hills.

CARPENTERS and Floor-layers wanted. Corner Harris and Fig sts, Pyrmont.

CARPENTER, smart, new Surf Sheds, Bondi Beach. Taylor and Bills.

CASEMAKER and 2 strong Lads wanted, good wages if suitable. 146-8 Goodlet-st, Surry Hills.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, a good Carpenter, 207 Annandale-st, Annandale. F. G. Roberts, builder.

POSITIONS VACANT.

CARPENTER, to alter window sash, 9 x 5. 45 Willoughby-rd, Crow's Nest, opp. Ernest-st.

CARPENTERS wanted, long job for good hands. Spofforth-st and Ranger's-rd, Neutral Bay.

CUTTERS wanted at STATE CLOTHING FACTORY. Apply to Manager, Gloucester-street, at 9 a.m., TO-DAY. (9b-27)

CLERK. Wanted smart JUNIOR, for Acct. Sales, etc., Produce Dept., country. Age, exp., salary req., to GRAIN, Herald Office.

CLERKS. Wanted, 2 SMART JUNIOR CLERKS. Apply at once by letter to JOHN HUNTER and SON, Ltd., Castlereagh-street, Redfern.

CESSNOCK AND ABERDARE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LTD., Vincent-street, Cessnock. Applications are invited for the Position of "FIRST SHOPMAN" to the Butchery Department of the above Society. Such applicants must have a thorough knowledge of Butchery Business. Wages £3 per week. Applications close SATURDAY, 16th inst. W. ARBLASTER, Secretary. September 11th, 1911.

DRESSMAKING.—At once, Improvers to Bodices, 10s to 15s. 180 The Strand, second floor.

DRESSMAKING.—Wtd., Machinist, also Skirt Hand, g. w. Miss Napper, Allison-rd, nr. P.O., R'wick.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, at once, first-class Sleeve Hand, perm. pos. Miss Higman, Equitable-bldgs.

DRESSMAKING.—Bodice and Blouse Hands wanted. Apply Miss Cromack, 116 Walker-st, N. Sydney.

DRESSMAKER wanted to make up skirts, blouses, underclothing. 291 Castlereagh-st.

DRESSMAKER.—Stylish, London, Parisian, to day and fares. Noel, 54 George-st West.

DRESSMAKING.—Good Bodice Hand and Improver. Ernest, 41 Elizabeth-st, near King-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Bodice and Skirt Hands, Improvers, Apprens. Bourke, Mills, 132 Liverpool-st

DARLINGHURST.—Furn. Dble. balc. Room, priv. fam., suit m.c. or friends, 12s 6d. 475, L'pool-st.

DENTAL.—Reg. Surgeon wanted, wages £3. Apply Molar, Herald.

DRAINER wanted. Kent-st Sub-station, rear of Town Hall.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Apprentices and Improvers. Miss Barry, 88 Castlereagh-st, Redfern.

DRESSMAKERS.—Experienced Bodice and Skirt Hands wanted, high salary, permanent employment; Imps. and Apprens. Mrs. Cockerill, Equit.-bldgs.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, good Bodice and Skirt Hands, permanent positions, wages 25s to suitable workers. MARCUS CLARK, North Sydney.

DRAPERY.—Wanted, several smart young LADIES, for the Ribbons, Laces, Hose, and Glove Depts. Apply Mr. STONE, c.o. Mrs. V. H. Jones, Liverpool and Castlereagh streets.

DRAPERY.—Wanted, smart Young Lady, for Showrm., good opportunity learn the business, no previous experience necessary, no late nights. McDOWELL and HUGHES, 382-384 Geo.-st, nr. G.P.O.

DRESSMAKER wanted, for Western line, must be competent cutter and designer. GOOD SALARY. Apply, with refs. GEORGE DAN, 131 Eliz.-street, Redfern.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, IMPROVERS, ASSISTANTS, and APPRENTICES. Miss TURNER, Mark Foy's.

DRAFTSMAN WANTED. We have a Vacancy on our Staff for a SMART JUNIOR. The AUSTRALIAN "EMBOSTEEL" CEILING CO., 10 Castlereagh-street.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart and competent ALTERATION HANDS for Skirts. Permanent positions are offered to first-class workers. Apply DAVID JONES, LTD., Costume Department, First Floor.

DRESSMAKING. Permanent Positions in our MODEL DRESSMAKING ROOMS for FIRST-CLASS BODICE HANDS, ASSISTANTS, and IMPROVER to BODICES, SLEEVE IMPROVERS, and EXPERT SKIRT HANDS, ASSISTANTS, and IMPROVERS to SKIRTS, POWER MACHINISTS, and APPRENTICES. Apply 9 to 11 a.m., or between 1 to 3 p.m., HORDERN BROTHERS, 203-211 Pitt-street.

DRESSMAKING. FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED, require FIRST-CLASS SKIRT HAND, to manage own Girls, and cut and fit, also MACHINIST and BODICE and SKIRT HANDS, and BODICE and SKIRT ASSISTANTS. Good wages and permanent positions to competent workers. Apply Miss LAMBERT, Dressmaking Showroom, Second Floor, Market-street, FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, QUEENSLAND. MEDICAL INSPECTOR, NORTH QUEENSLAND. SALARY, £505. APPLICATIONS from Qualified Medical Men possessing a Diploma in Public Health will be received up to OCTOBER 7th, 1911. The Medical Inspector will be required to reside in Townsville. Applicants should produce evidence of practical experience in sanitary administration and tropical diseases. W. H. RYDER, Under-Secretary. Home Secretary's Office, Brisbane, 4th September, 1911.

EDUCATED young lady, read manuscript, 10s start, Speers, Linotyper, Jamieson-lane, off Jamieson-st.

ENGINEERING APPRENTICE.—An Opening in a Good Shop for a Strong, Respectable BOY. APPRENTICE, Enmore P.O.

FOLDERS.—Experienced Girls wanted, best wages. Pratten Bros., 247 George-st, Sydney, opp. Bridge-st.

FEEDERS wanted. Apply William Brooks and Co., Ltd., 17 Castlereagh-st, Sydney.

FLOOR LAYERS wanted. Full fares paid. Penitentiary, Long Bay.

FEEDERS wanted, for Double Royals, best wages. Ross Bros., Ltd., 547 Kent-st.

FINISHERS (10) wtd., at once, for skirts, costumes, gd. wgs., const. Alexander, Brodziak, 222 Claren.-st

FOREMAN LTP. MACHINIST seeks Re-engagement. 56, G.P.O.

FOREWOMAN wanted for Straw Hat Machines, only experienced hands need apply. Application, stating experience and salary required, by letter, to Hats, Box 241, G.P.O.

FELT HAT TRIMMING.—Experienced HANDS wanted, piecework rates; also, GIRLS, to be taught, 10s to start, in six months should earn 20s. C. ANDERSON and CO., Ltd., Albion and Nicholls streets, Surry Hills.

FURNISHING SALESMEN. WANTED, SALESMEN, Senior and Junior, for our Furnishing Drapery Department. Apply Mr. Holmes, 9.30 a.m., Furnishing Department, GRACE BROS., THE MODEL STORE, BROADWAY.

GROCERY.—Wanted, respectable YOUTH, assist and deliver. T. Thornton, 49 Glebe-rd, Glebe.

GROCER.—Wanted, respectable YOUTH, able to drive, Hills, 178 Victoria-st, Darlinghurst.

GIRLS wanted, 10s, about 14 years. W. H. Hill and Co., 350 Sussex-st.

GIRL wanted, for biscuit packing. Lewis, 164 Devonshire-st, Surry Hills.

GROCERS.—First-class Grocer and Provision Hand; no duffers. 57 Norton-st, Leichhardt.

GIRL, 15, wanted, mornings, good writer, wages 1s. F. S., Petersham Post-office.

GOOD CARPENTER wanted; also Plasterer, 28 Leichhardt-st, Waverley.

GROCER.—Senior, as Counter Hand and Collector, By letter. Mills and Brighton, Rockdale.

GIRLS WANTED, for STITCHING, STRAPPING, and LIGHT LEATHER WORK. Also MACHINISTS. Good pay. Airy Factory and Dining-room provided. Apply GRIMLEY, Ltd., 263 Clarence-street.

GOOD outside SALESMAN wanted, must have good knowledge of electrical goods of all descriptions. Apply British General Electric Co., Ltd., 257 Clarence-street, Sydney.

GIRLS wanted, for envelope-making, 10s per week. SNASHALL'S, Ltd., 250 Clarence-street.

GIRLS wanted, at once, for light, clean work; no experience; 44 hours per week; GOOD WAGES. TURNER and HENDERSON, Jamieson-street.

GOOD strong LAD, not under 19, wanted in Hardware Store and Yard, must be strong and willing, to a suitable lad 25s per week will be paid. Apply YARD, Herald Office, King-street.

GOVERNESS, girl, 13, £35, MUSWELLBROOK; £35, QUIRINDI; £35, GUNDAGAI; SUBSIDISED SCHOOL TEACHER (music), £52; LADY NURSE, 2 children (nurs. maid kept), £52. Miss Rofe, 105 Pitt-st

GIRLS.—Ten wanted, to learn light trade, NO SATURDAY WORK, 10s to start. MASCOT MANUFACTURING CO., Hopewell-street, Paddington.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, L.c. Improver, no other need apply. Apply 185 Castlereagh-st, city.

HARNESS-MAKER.—Wanted, good Jobbing Hand; must be able to line. Apply 255 Sussex-st.

HAIRDRESSING.—Wanted, LADS, to learn the trade. Apply Mick Simmons, Ltd., Haymarket.

HOME OF PEACE, SUBIACO, WESTERN AUSTRALIA.—Wanted, two Trained NURSES. Salary, Sixty-six Pounds per annum and uniform. Fare refunded after six months. Apply Matron.

HOTEL Salesman and Canvasser wanted, splendid opportunity to smart and capable man. All applications treated confidentially. Apply, first instance, HOPS, G.P.O.

INTELLIGENT OFFICE BOY WANTED. Wages 12s 6d. Good prospects. Apply with references to 806, Herald Office.

IRONMONGERS.—Applications invited for Position of Foreman for the Ironmongery Department. References. Wages, £3. Applications close Monday next, 6 p.m., LITHGOW CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LTD., W. KIRBY, Sec.

JUNIOR Clerk, Girl, for office, wholesale house, quick at figures. Box 1631, G.P.O., Sydney.

JUNIOR Lady Clerk required for pos. in large office, good opening. State ful parties. to 833, Herald.

JUNIOR CLERK, salary £1. State age, references, Box 265, G.P.O.

JEWELLERY.—Wanted, JUNIOR ASSISTANT. Holingdale and Kessell, 96 King-st.

JOINERS wanted. New South Wales Joiners' Works, 163 Weston-rd, Rozelle.

JUNIOR CLERK req., quick and accurate. State age, sal., and ref., Stereo, Herald, King-st.

JOINER wanted for South Coast. Constant employment. Apply D. Crichton, Corrimal P.O.

JUNIOR CLERK, for Merchant's Office, with knowledge typewriting and shorthand, and with some prev. office exp. preferred. Apply G.P.O., Box 431.

JUNIOR CLERK Wanted, for Public Accountants' Office, knowledge of double-entry, good handwriting, testimonials. State salary required. Apply BALANCE, Herald Office.

JOINERY.—Wanted, LADS, for joinery department, opportunity to learn good trade. BINNS, WADGE, and BROWN, Ltd., Gordon-street, Rozelle.

JUNIOR CLERK required for large Commercial Office. Good opportunity for ambitious youth. Apply JUNIOR, Daily Telegraph.

LITHOGRAPHIC ARTIST (Canvassing) wanted. Apply Box 18, Wanganui, N.Z.

POSITIONS VACANT.

LEDGER CLERK, well educated, junior applicants, must state age and salary. Box 1659, G.P.O.

LIFTBOY, start 17s 6d. Apply early, with references. T. F. Wiesener, 334 George-st.

LADY TYPISTE and SHORTHAND-WRITER required, thoroughly qualified and intelligent, for corresponding work, etc. Apply personally, or by letter, ROWLAND WARD, Ltd., Tea Merchants, 8 O'Connell-st.

LITHGOW IRONWORKS.
WANTED, TEN COALMINERS, to take the place of men on Strike.
Ordinary Men are earning £4 per week.
Constant Work to Sober Men.
Board and Lodging on the Works at 10s per week.
Apply by letter to G. and C. HOSKINS, Limited, Wattle-street, Sydney; or LITHGOW.

MACHINISTS.—Blouses and Skirts, £1 per week; Improvers and Finishers. Clark, 895 Crown-st.

MILLINERY.—Vacancies for Apprentices and Improvers, J. Martin, 804 George-st, Haymarket.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, Trimmers, also Makers, and Apprts., 7s 6d comm. Hundt, 18 Fitzroy-st, Ntwn.

MACHINISTS, underskirts (treadle), 40 High Holborn-st, off Cleveland-st, Surry Hills.

MACHINISTS.—Smart Girls wanted; also Apprentices treadle machine. Apply 57 Albion-st, An'dale

MILLINERY.—Wanted, smart Improvers, good wages to start, no Sat. wk. G. Dan, 131 Eliz.-st, Redf.

MACHINISTS.—Wanted, 3 Skirt Hands, no work Saturdays, good pay. G. Dan, 131 Eliz.-st, Redf.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, Apprentices, wages to commence, permanent positions. Kay's Hat Shop, Sydney Arcade, King-street.

MACHINISTS, for Underclothing; also Presser and Finisher, no Saturday. City Manufacturing Co., 97 Q. V. Markets.

MACHINISTS, for Linings, Vests, and Trousers. STEIGRAD BROS., 12 Cunningham-street (off 427 Pitt-street), Near Central Railway Station.

MACHINISTS.—Wanted, 10 good Skirt Hands, constant work at big wages, no work on Saturday morning, tea provided, best conditions in the city. Apply at once, COHEN and SONS, 302 Kent-street.

MERCER and CLOTHIER wanted for the country. Apply 10 a.m. Friday. ROBERT REID and CO., Ltd., 34 York-street.

MACHINISTS for Robes, Costumes, etc.; must be first-class hands; constant work, highest wages, hours 8 till quarter to 6. No Saturday. B. LYONS, 11 Wilmott-street.

MILLINERY and COSTUMES.—Wanted, smart Ladylike young LADIES, just from school, as Beginners, good appearance. Apply Mr. Stone, c.o. Mrs. V. H. JONES, Liverpool and Castlereagh streets.

MACHINISTS, first-class, for Costumes and Skirts, best wages, constant, 46½ hours weekly (48 paid for). All conveniences; piano and lady attendant. FARBSTEIN and BEDWELL, 443 Kent-street.

MONEY-LENDING OFFICE requires experienced, capable MAN, for valuations and outdoor work. Particulars to FINANCE, Herald Branch.

MACHINISTS, for blouses, costumes, and skirts; also Apprentices for Dressmaking, no Saturday work. Apply every day, GEORGE H. HENRY, 80 Bathurst-street.

MUNICIPALITY OF WAVERLEY.—Applicants for the following positions are hereby notified that the position has been filled:—Deputy Town Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Sanitary Inspectors, Caretaker Bondi Surf Bathing Accommodation, Assistant Caretaker Bondi Surf Bathing Accommodation. E. B. KENYON, Town Clerk, Council Chambers, Waverley. Sept. 13, 1911.

MACHINIST. A MACHINIST wanted for our FURNISHING DRAPERY SHOWROOMS. GOOD SALARY TO COMPETENT HANDS. EARLY HOURS, NO NIGHT WORK. Apply Carpet Department, HORDERN BROTHERS, 203-11 Pitt-street.

MACHINISTS. Wanted, VEST MACHINISTS, TROUSERS FINISHERS, and SMART GIRLS, to learn; also OUT-DOOR TROUSERS HANDS, with Factory experience. Mr. POTTS, ROBERT REID and CO., Ltd., Balfour-street, Chippendale.

MACHINISTS. Also, BODICE AND SKIRT TABLE HANDS AND FINISHERS. FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED, require COMPETENT HANDS for their STOCK WORKROOM. Constant Employment. Apply to Mr. COOPER, Costume Showroom, 1st Floor, Market-street.

MUNICIPALITY OF WAVERLEY. APPLICANTS for the following Positions are hereby notified that the Positions have been filled:—
Deputy Town Clerk
Assistant Clerk
Sanitary Inspector
Caretaker, Bondi Surf Bathing Accommodation
Assistant Caretaker, Bondi Surf Bathing Accommodation.
E. B. KENYON, Town Clerk. Council-chambers, Waverley, 13th September, 1911.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY. APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned for:— (a) LABOURERS, (b) LINESMEN. Applications to be made on forms, which are obtainable at the Town Hall, Sydney, on personal application (or by post if stamp enclosed), WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 13th and 14th inst., between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., and to be returned to reach the undersigned not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY, the 15th SEPTEMBER, 1911. THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Sydney, 12th September, 1911.

MUNICIPALITY OF NORTH BOTANY. Applications are invited up to 4 p.m. on MONDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, for the Position of SANITARY INSPECTOR, IMPOUNDING OFFICER, SANITARY COLLECTOR, BUILDING INSPECTOR, and INSPECTOR UNDER PURE FOODS ACT, at a Salary of £2 10s per week (with certain bonuses as Impounding Officer). Applicants must be qualified under the Local Government Act. State age, and forward copies only of testimonials. Endorse Applications "APPLICATION FOR INSPECTOR." HY. DUNSTAN, Town Clerk.

MUNICIPALITY OF MANLY. SURF ATTENDANTS. APPLICATIONS will be received up to 8 p.m. on TUESDAY NEXT, the 19th instant, for POSITIONS of THREE (3) MALE SURF ATTENDANTS at the Ocean Beach Bathing Quarters. Applicants to state salary required. Particulars on application to the undersigned, D. HOGAN, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Manly, 13th September, 1911.

NURSES, for ISOLATION and SURGICAL WARD in OBSTETRIC HOSPITAL; PROBATIONERS, NURSES for INFANTS and Walking CHILDREN, £40, £45, £50. Miss ROFE, Nurses' Bureau, 105 Pitt-street.

ORGANIST required for S. John's Anglican Church, Rockdale. Apply Rev. Noble-Burton, Rockdale.

OFFICE.—Wanted, smart LAD, for office, 12s 6d per week to start, good prospects. BINNS, WADGE, and BROWN, Ltd., Gordon-street, Rozelle.

PLATEN HANDS wanted. Pratten Bros., 247 George-st, Sydney, opp. Bridge-st.

PLASTERERS wanted, 10. Apply H. T. Seymour, Leger Stand, Randwick Racecourse.

PLASTERERS wanted. F. E. Munro, A.M.P. contract, Pitt-st.

PLAYERS wanted to join an Amateur Orchestra, Monday evenings. Conductor, Herald Office.

PLASTERER and LABOURER wanted. 559 George-st, one door from Liverpool-st.

PLASTERERS.—Wanted, 6, for city, 12s per day. J. Cooley, Sec. Plasterers, Trades Hall, 9 a.m.

PAINTER wanted. Apply before 10 a.m., office 4, 90 Pitt-st.

PLUMBERS.—Two good HANDS wanted. J. A. Stevens, plumber, Edgecliff.

PAPER BAGMAKERS wanted, Block Hands, for factory and home work. 350 Sussex-st.

PLUMBERS.—First-class General Hand. Apply early, 373 Darling-st, Balmain.

PLASTERER'S LABOURER wanted. Apply Mr. Power's job, Frenchman's-rd, Randwick.

PAINTERS.—First and Second Grade MEN. Apply 95 Surrey-st.

PLUMBERS.—Wanted, first-class General Hands. W. C. Thomson, Railway-parade, Burwood.

PLASTERERS, wages 12s. Elizabeth Bay-rd and Birtley-st. H. Farrant.

PLASTERERS, two, 12s 6d. Way's, Alt-st, off Birrell-st, Waverley.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, good 2nd Grade, 7.30 a.m. or after 5 p.m. C. Dell, Moncur-st, Marrickville.

PAINTERS.—Two Second-grade, smart. 7.30, New Schools, St. Mary's Cathedral.

PAINTERS wanted. Apply Carrett's job, Brereton Estate, off Livingstone-rd, Marrickville.

PLUMBERS.—Wanted, 2 good General Hands. Apply McDonagh Bros., 77 Morehead-st, Redf. T., 175 R.

PLASTERERS wanted, 13s. Mr. Robinson's job, Gannon-st, near station, Tempe.

PLASTERERS wanted, 12s. Mr. Stephen's job, Wolford-st, off Hanks-st South, Ashfield. Hopkins.

PLASTERER wanted. Carmelite Convent, Wardell-rd, Dulwich Hill.

PLASTERER wanted. Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-st, opp. Fire Station. 12s.

PLASTERER wanted. New building, rear of 730 George-st, next Lyric Theatre.

PLUMBERS.—Wanted, good Hands. Apply Whitehead, Bismarck-st, Kogarah. 'Phone, 410 Kogarah.

PICTURE-FRAMING.—Wanted, two good smart Boys, for our Framing Dept. Good prospects for willing boys. Apply, with parents preferred, H. CARTER COY., 249-51 Castlereagh-street.

PACKER.—JUNIOR wanted for Packing Room, must be accustomed to bundling goods. Apply PACKER, Box 204, G.P.O.

PRESSERS. Wanted, FIRST-CLASS PRESSERS. Mr. Potts, ROBERT REID and CO., Ltd., Balfour-street, Chippendale.

POSITIONS VACANT.

PROMISING Ladylike Woman, 22-28, with liking for commercial life, required as Office Understudy. Educ., memory, indus. essential. Merchant, Herald.

RESP. young Woman, for publisher's office, to fold and assist generally. G. R. F., Herald, King-st.

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE SHORTHAND and TYPEWRITER (Male). Permanent Position for the Right Man. SALARY, £2 10s WEEKLY. References required. Box 1505, G.P.O.

SMART BOY wanted. 729 George-st, Sydney.

STONE PAVER. Partridge Stone Yards, Mary-st, Surry Hills.

SMART LAD required for office. State age and reference to Reporter, Herald, King-st.

SMITH WANTED, constant work. West's Patent Tyre Setter Co., Ltd., 60 Bay-st.

STEADY, responsible Man wtd., as City Messenger, constant emp., 30s. Publisher, Herald, King-st.

SEAMPRESSERS.—Youths wtd. for seampressing; also boys for fac. work. McArthur's, 77 York-st.

SIGNWRITER wanted, at once, medium work. 364 King-st, Newtown.

SALESWOMAN wanted for haberdashery and fancy. 738 George-st, Haymarket.

SMART YOUTHS, 16 to 18 years, smith's shop. Courtney and Bohlsen, Forbes-st, Woolloomooloo.

SMART JUNIOR, about 16, for our works office, 15s per week. Apply LYSAGHT BROS., and CO., Ltd., 39 Pitt-street.

STRAW HATS.—Wanted, experienced HAND BLOCKER, at once. R. C. HENDERSON, Parker-street, Haymarket.

SOLDERERS.—Wanted, two strong YOUTHS, at once, must have experience. Apply to THE SYDNEY SOAP and CANDLE CO., Ltd., Bourke-road, Alexandria.

SMART BOY wanted, for making buttons, in first-class workroom. ALEXANDER, BRODZIAK, and CO., 222 Clarence-street.

SHORTHAND and TYPIST.—Wanted, young LADY, with knowledge Bookkeeping, for office. Apply first instance, own handwriting, copies of references. State salary required to A. X. Z., Herald Office.

SIGNWRITERS.—DAVID JONES, LTD., have a VACANCY for a smart and competent SIGNWRITER, with first-class experience. Apply Mr. WHITELAW.

STATE CLOTHING FACTORY.—WANTED,
CUTTERS,
MACHINERS,
MACHINISTS,
FINISHERS,
IMPROVERS,
APPRENTICES,
TAILORS.
Apply to the Manager, Gloucester-street, Sydney, at 9 a.m. TO-DAY. (9b-27)

STANDARD-WAYGOOD, LIMITED, REQUIRE A SMART BOY, FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK, and offer good prospects to a lad of the right stamp. Apply at once, with written application and copies of references, to 72B King-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, first-class COATMAKERS. Holle and Co., 285 George-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Vest HANDS. Holle and Co., 285 George-st.

TAILORESSES.—Coat and Vest Maker required for country. Apply first floor, 1 Barrack-st, Sydney.

TAILOR.—All-round Hand for country, mid log, 6 months, Hardt and Co., Wynyard-lane.

TAILORESSES.—Trousers Hand for country, constant, 25s. Hardt and Co., 20 York-st.

TO TAILORS.—Good Coat Hand. G. Bousser and Co., 55 Elizabeth-st, Victoria Arcade.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Coatmakers, good wages, constant. 158 Strand, 3rd floor, George-st end.

TAILORING.—Wanted, first-class Vestmakers, constant employment. E. T. Walsh, 350 George-st.

TAILORING.—Wanted, first-class Trousers Makers, constant employment. E. T. Walsh, 350 Geo.-st.

TRAVELLER for Standard Typewriters and Office Supplies. Alma, Herald Office.

TAILORS.—Wanted, an APPRENTICE BOY. Stewart, Hunter and Hamilton sts, 1st floor.

TINSMITHS.—Hand for bar folders and guillotine. Pratten Bros., 247 George-st (opp. Bridge-st).

TYPISTE, Experienced, must be smart and accurate. Start 17s 6d. Send Testimonials. Box 1155, G.P.O.

TYPIST, young Lady or Youth, Solicitor's Office. Apply, stating salary expected, Warren, Herald.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Table Hands, Trousers Finishers; Boy, seam-pressing, trousers. 453 Kent-st.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Vest Hands. Apply A. E. Minty, Walker-st, North Sydney.

TO Tailors.—Wanted, two first-class Coat Makers, perm. pos., log prices. Hagon Bros., 107-9 Oxf.-st

TAILORESSES.—Wtd., gd. Trous. and Vest Hand, const. T. and D. Humphries, 151 Miller-st, Nth. S.

TO Tailors.—Wtd., smart man for alterations, fill in time on tac coats. Hagon Bros., 107-9 Oxford-st

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, Man to press and sew. James Harris, Park-st.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Table Hands, Fellers, Imprvs., Apprens., 7s 6d start. McArthur's, 77 York-st.

TO TAILORS.—Smart IMPROVER wanted, Coats and Ladies' Jackets. Matthews, 522 George-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Trous. and Vest Hand wanted, 2nd class log. Matthews, 522 Geo.-st, Greer's-chbrs

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good MAN, permanent, weekly position. Hagon and Co., 218 Pitt-st.

TINSMITHS and SOLDERERS wanted. 292 Sussex-st, upstairs.

TO Tailors and Tailoresses.—Coat and Vest Hands wanted. Ludgater, 118 Oxford-st, city.

TAILORESSES.—Wtd., Outdoor Trousers and Knicker Hands. Evers and Cohen, 5 Wynyard-st, city.

TAILORESSES.—Vest Hands, in and out door, at once. A. Brown and Co., 47 Erskine-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, f.c. Trousers and Vest Hands, constant work. Cutler, 70 King-st, city.

TAILORESSES.—A good Trousers Machinist, high wage; also Outdoor Finishers. 261 Clarence-st.

TO TAILORS or TAILORESSES.—First-class small JOB HANDS wanted, good prices. Apply ALICK McLEAN, Crow's Nest.

TYPING.—Wanted, Circulars Copied. Please state price per thousand. Address CIRCULAR No. 2, Herald, King-street.

TAILORESSES.—Juvenile Coat, Vest and Tros. Machinists; Out. Hands for same; men's coat, vest, and Tros. Mach.; Fin. Robertson, Wellington-st, Chip'dale.

TAILORESSES.—COAT, TROUS., and VEST HANDS wanted. PRICE and CO., 114 King-street.

TO TAILORS and TAILORESSES.—Wanted, 2 good Coat Hands, also Trousers and Vest Hands, 2nd-class log. Apply S. HICKEY, Forbes.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted for Dungog, a first-class Trousers and Vest Hand, splendid position, second-class log. Apply HOOPER and HARRISON, 57 York-street.

TAILORESSES.—Permanent Position for 2 Trousers Makers, full week's work guaranteed all the year, good wages earned. B. PHILLIPS (late Hagon Bros.), 150 Pitt-street.

TAILORESSES.—Good COAT, TROUSERS, and VEST HANDS, IMPROVERS, and APPRENTICES to same, no Saturday work. C. O. GILES, 222 Clarence-street.

TAILORESSES WANTED, outdoor, Norfolk Coat, Conway, and Knicker Hands. JACOBS, Ltd., 263-269 Kent-street.

TAILORESSES.—Outdoor Hands, for stock vests and trousers; also Indoor Improvers and Apprentices, 7s 6d to start. H. H. KELLY, Ltd., 236 Castlereagh-street, near Bathurst-street.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, at once, first-class Hand, to assist on coats; also Improver, HIGHEST WAGES. COURTNEY, BROWN, and CO., No. 12 room, 3rd floor, Riley Bros.'-buildings, George-street.

TAILORING.—MACHINIST wanted, for Vests; comfortable position. J. B. DANCE, 554 George-street, opp. Cathedral.

TYPEWRITER, with knowledge shorthand (male). All particulars and wages, BOX 659, G.P.O.

TO PARENTS.—Wanted, intelligent YOUTH, for merchant's office. Good opportunity get commercial experience from initial stages. Apply 804, Herald.

THE NURSES' BUREAU, Equitable, 350 George-street.—Miss MacLachlan requires 2 good Surgical Nurses, city hosp.; Gen. and Obstetric Nurses, country; Nurses, 2 to 4 yrs.' exper., £26 to £52; Probationers, with and without exper., some to train as Children's Nurses, £20, certificate after 12 months.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted by DAVID JONES, LTD., OUTDOOR TROUSERS HAND. Constant work all the year. Apply Mr. ANDERSON, Workrooms, 155 Clarence-street.

TAILORESSES, for New Zealand. COAT MACHINISTS and FINISHERS, second-class passage paid. Apply A. E. MINTY, c/o. Mr. Aitken, York-chambers, Market-street.

THE MUTUAL LIFE AND CITIZENS' ASSURANCE CO., Ltd., AN O.B. REPRESENTATIVE for Life and Personal Accident business is required for Northern District. Previous experience preferred, but not indispensable. Must be good salesman. Liberal terms. Credentials necessary. Application personally or by letter, to Secretary, Moore-street, on Thursday and Friday, after 10 o'clock.

THE MUTUAL LIFE AND CITIZENS' ASSURANCE CO., Ltd., invite Applications for the Position of ORDINARY BRANCH INSPECTOR for Country District. Must be proved new business writer, or hold first-class selling record in other lines. Salary and commission. Highest credentials required. Application personally or by letter, to Secretary, Moore-street. Applications will close Monday, the 18th inst.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted by DAVID JONES, LTD., the following Competent Workers. Highest wages, constant employment. NO SATURDAY WORK. COAT MACHINISTS, TROUSERS FINISHERS, VEST FINISHERS; also APPRENTICES, to learn the trade. Apply Mr. ANDERSON, Workrooms, 155 Clarence-street.

UNDERMANAGER (Second-class Certificate) Wanted, for Collie Co-operative Collieries, Ltd., Collie, W.A. Must be a thoroughly practical and energetic man, experienced in bord and pillar work, electric coal cutters and electric pumps; not under 30 years of age. WAGES £4 per week for suitable man. Apply, with full particulars as to experience and references to above collieries.

POSITIONS VACANT.

WANTED, Blouse, Skirt, and Underskirt Machinists. M. Glynn, Dalwood-chambers, 117 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, CARPENTER. Apply Graves' job, Bancroft-avenue, Roseville. 12s day.

WANTED, 2 Loaders-out, for patent kiln. The Waterloo Brick Co., Ltd., Botany-rd, Waterloo.

WANTED, LADY CLERK, for office work, at Newcastle, £1 wk. Applications to Capable, Herald.

WANTED, an Apprentice to the baking trade. Apply M. Butler, Crow's Nest, North Sydney.

WANTED, a MAN, for Drilling Machine. Jas. Martin and Co., Ltd., Miller-st, Pyrmont.

WANTED, first-class Drainer, for temporary job. Apply 9 a.m., James Hurll and Co., 20 Lottus-st.

WANTED, 2 FENCERS. Apply to Reech's, Ltd., Dowling-street, Redfern.

WANTED, 2 PAINTERS, first and second grade, 9 o'clock, 197 Clarence-st.

WANTED, a Junior Hand, must understand counter work. E. Leale, grocer, Penshurst-st, Willoughby.

WANTED, good BRICKLAYER, for Katoomba. Apply 113 Weston-rd, Rozelle. Fare paid.

WHEELER WANTED, constant work. West's Patent Tyre Setter Co., Ltd., 60 Bay-st.

WANTED, a Strong, Useful LAD. Apply Potter and Birks, Ltd., Grosvenor-st, city.

WANTED, two exp. GIRLS, for confectionery shop. Apply 19 Oxford-st.

WANTED, smart Lad, as messenger, etc., refs, 12/6 to start. Hardy Bros., 13 Hunter-st. Trade ent.

WANTED, Girls for Printing Bus., gd. wages, short hours. Eclipse Print. Co. 52 Bay-st, nr. Grace's.

WANTED, a smart BOY, for office, one with previous exp. pref. Gordon and Gotch, 123 Pitt-st, Sydney.

WANTED, 3 young GIRLS, for Confectioner's Shop. 444 George-st.

WANTED, good PLASTERER. Apply Brown and Dillon sts, Paddington.

WANTED, BRICK CLEANERS. Apply Cooper, Edgley-st, near Crown and Cleveland sts.

WANTED, Two Barrow Men, 9s and fares. Apply job, facing Public School, Drummoyne.

WANTED, good all-round Bodymaker, some knowl. of motor work pref. McDonnell, Waitara. 'Ph., 322.

WANTED, PAINTER. Apply 113 Alexander-st, N. Sydney.

WANTED, BRIDGE CARPENTER. Apply G. and C. Hoskins, Ltd., Wattle-st, Ultimo.

WANTED, a HANDY MAN, used to painting. Hooworth and Astles, 248 Kent-st.

WANTED, Carpenters and Plumbers. Apply early on works, Cleveland and Baptist sts, Redfern.

WANTED, several good SHOVELMEN. Apply Miller, Balmain Coal Mine, 7 a.m.

WANTED, smart, respectable Boy, to assist in store. Apply 522 Kent-st (near Liverpool-st).

WTD., a young Man, about 18, to drive a timber dray, must understand timber. 478 Wattle-st, Ult.

WANTED, strong LAD. Ennever and Appleton, Contrs., 86 Bay-st, near Newtown-rd.

WANTED, BOYS, for smith's shop. H. Hillier, 161 George-st West.

WTD., Striker, for light fire. E. Simpson, Coachbuilder, 17 and 19 Glebe-st, Glebe. Const. job.

WANTED, smart BOYS for bakehouse, wages 20s. S. P. Bray, pastrycook, Shadforth-st, Paddington.

WANTED, smart BOY, about 14. J. Spratt, blacksmith, Kendall-st, Woollahra.

WTD., a good WHEELWRIGHT, for country, good wages. Dunn, Bennett's Coach Fac., Camperdown.

WANTED, BRICKLAYER. Foot Boronia-st, Kensington. Pocock.

WANTED, good LABOURER. New Job, Lang-rd, Centennial Park, after 9 o'clock.

WANTED, 2 Double-team Drivers. Apply early. Burns, Look-st, Balmain.

WANTED, refined yg. Ladies, as Beginners, for all Drapery depts. C. P. Foy, 157 Oxford-st, city.

WANTED, TIPCARTS, 14s, CONCRETE MEN, 9s. Simm's Job, Greenoakes Estate, Darling Point.

WANTED, Smart GIRL, Office Work, wages 16s per week. Reply to Colonial, Herald Office, Hunter-st.

WANTED, Pick and Shovel Men, Melbourne-st, off Parramatta-rd, Burwood.

WANTED, good BLACKSMITHS. 7 Bridge-rd, Glebe.

WANTED, first-class CARPENTER. Apply job, Laycock-st, Neutral Bay, opp. tram sheds.

WANTED, smart LADS, fairly tall, splendid prospects suitable Lads, gd. wgs. M. Simmons, Haymkt.

WANTED, smart BOY, for office. H. T. Seymour, Marrickville-rd, Marrickville.

WANTED, 4 LABOURERS. Excavation, George-st, near Bathurst-st. J. Cassidy.

WANTED, smart Salesman for our Furniture Dept. S. J. Hale and Co., Ltd., 41-49 George-st West.

WANTED, a good all-round Electrical MECHANIC. Apply job, Cork Manuf. Co., Trafalgar-st, An'dale.

WANTED, 2 Bodymakers; also Lad, as Striker, constant work. Pittman, Phillip-st, Waterloo.

WANTED, a PAINTER and PAPERHANGER. Apply at 8 a.m., Sutton, 40 Chelsea-st, Redfern.

WANTED, good FENCER, to erect one-rail and five-wire fence. Apply Railway Hotel, George-st.

WANTED, an Apprentice to the Baking trade. Apply Weeks White, Enmore Terminus.

WANTED, competent daily DRESSMAKER. Apply Kinnell, Elizabeth Bay-rd.

WANTED, 2 Improvers, used to fitting ornamental ironwork; open 3 d. A. Amos, Botany-rd, Wat'loo.

WANTED, 2 Labourers. G. Carrett, Sydenham and Livingstone rds, Marrickville.

WANTED, BRICKLAYERS. Apply on job, Pile-st, Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, a MAN, to drive a Licensed Cab. Apply 48 Hereford-st, Glebe.

WOODTURNER, used Chair work. Pyrmont Chairworks, 485 Harris-st, Ultimo. £2.

WANTED, SOLDERERS, used to square work. Apply F. Kain, Arnott's Factory, Homebush.

WANTED, a Labourer, also Boy for waggon, good wages, constant work. Mr. Riordan, Alexandria.

WANTED, 2 Bricklayers; no stoppage for bricks. Gilderthorpe-avenue, Randwick.

WANTED, first-class Rubble QUARRIER. Apply W. Frank, Quarry, Banksia, Judd-st.

WANTED, a first-class BLACKSMITH, General, light and heavy, constant job good man, £3 10s. W. R. PEARSON, Coachbuilder, Grenfell.

WANTED, Sandstock BRICKMOULDERS, at once, 10s 6d, clay on stool, good sheds, long job. G. H. MUTCH, Contractor, Junee.

WANTED, Electrical Wireman, for Adelaide. Apply, with references, BOX 332, Adelaide. Only first-class men need apply.

WANTED, Refined Young LADY BOOKKEEPER, must have experience. Copies of references and salary required. BOX 1653, G.P.O.

WANTED, 2 smart BOYS, for Office and Messages. Apply 9 a.m., READ, HOLLIDAY, and SONS, 230 Clarence-street, first floor.

WANTED, a good LAD, to drive horse and cart. Apply at once to 225 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, young MAN, clerk in Produce Merchant's office, must be comp. figures, reli. every way. App., refs., Sheppard, Harvey, and Co., 125 Sussex-st.

WANTED, first-class CLERK and TRAVELLER, know North Sydney District; references required. HOOLAHAN BROS., Coal Merchants, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, GOOD SPAWLERS, also SKIP LOADERS, age from 17 to 21; constant work, good wages. Apply L. LITTON, Prospect Quarry, Prospect.

WANTED, a Certificated Colliery ELECTRICIAN, at NORTH BULLI COLLIERY. Apply to Colliery Manager, at Coledale.

WANTED, COPPERSMITH. Apply Lassetter's Factory, Clarence-street.

WANTED, smart, respectable GIRL, for addressing envelopes, etc, merchant's office, fresh from school preferred, 7s 6d. Apply own handwriting, 784, Herald.

WANTED, a competent LEDGERKEEPER and Wheat Clerk for grain merchant's office, experience in grain trade essential. J. J. DONNELLY and CO., Dixon's-buildings, 64 Pitt-street.

WANTED, a first-class, experienced Male TYPIST, Stenographer, and Correspondence Clerk, for grain merchant's office; no other need apply. J. J. DONNELLY and CO., Dixon's-buildings, 64 Pitt-street.

WANTED, well-educated LAD, good appearance. Chance of rapid promotion if good pianist. Apply PIANOLA COMPANY, 357 George-street.

WANTED, A LAD, for Parcels Office. PEAPES and CO., Ltd., 309-311 George-street.

WANTED, smart experienced Lady Correspondence CLERK. Apply, enclosing references and stating salary required, to STENOGRAPHER, Box 1617, G.P.O.

WANTED, an intelligent BOY for general office leaving school preferred. Apply, own handwriting, JOHN KEEP and SONS, Ltd., King and Clarence streets.

WANTED, Smart, Respectable BOY, for Warehouse. Apply WEBSTERS, Ltd., 63 York-street.

WANTED, Shorthand Writer and Typist (male), for large Northern River town. One used to Billing System preferred. Apply by letter, with copy refs., to ROBERT REID and CO., Ltd., 34 York-st.

WANTED, smart BOY, 12s 6d to start, good prospects. Apply 9 a.m., The STATES TOBACCO CO. PTY., Ltd., 40 Cooper-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, smart BOY, for packing room. Apply D. MITCHELL and CO., Ltd., Kent-street.

WANTED, TRAVELLER, for Piano House, for C'try district; must be first-class salesman, with good references. Copy to A. H. M., Herald Office.

WHEELWRIGHT.—First-class Man wanted, for heavy wheels and table top waggons, country; wages, £4. W. S. FRIEND and CO., Ironyard, Clarence-street.

WANTED, SMART BOYS FOR MESSAGES. N. JACOBS and CO., Ltd., 263-269 Kent-street.

WANTED, DOUBLE ENTRY BOOKKEEPER, with knowledge of Costings and Retail Trade. Salary £3. State age, experience, and enclose copies (only) of testimonials, to H. H., Herald Office.

WANTED, GIRLS, who can sew. R. C. HENDERSON, Parker-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, a CORNET PLAYER; also BASS PLAYER, for travelling circus. Apply S. WALDER, 340 Pitt-street.

WE want half-a-dozen GIRLS or YOUTHS willing to work; good wages, splendid factory. DAVID SIMPSON and CO., Kelly-street, off Bay-street, nr. Grace Bros.

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WANTED, TYPIST, with commercial experience competent at Remington Tabulator, invoicing good wages. METTER'S, Ltd., 558 George-street.

WANTED, 2 BOYS, 15 to 16 years old. ROWLAND'S MARBLE WORKS, Redfern-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a smart YOUTH, 17 or 18 years of age, used to grocery trade. Good wages. No applicant over the age above stated need apply. ALLEN and CO., corner Glebe and Ferry roads, Glebe Point.

WANTED, Competent BOOK-KEEPER, for Country Store, must understand double entry and self-balancing Ledgers, also billing system. Apply, with copy references, stating age, experience, and salary required, to 807, Herald Office.

POSITIONS VACANT.

WINDOW CLEANER, used to work. Apply 7 a.m., Sydney-Sub. Window Cleaning Co., 80 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, PROBATIONARY NURSE, Junee Hospital (Training School). Applications to be in by the 26th SEPTEMBER. Full particulars may be had from THE MATRON, Junee Hospital.

WANTED, for large country store, Northern Rivers, DRAPER, with special knowledge Manchester and Dresses. Salary, 50s. Apply, enclosing copies of references, Box 1617, G.P.O.

WANTED, for our SOFTGOODS WAREHOUSE, SMART BOYS, just from school preferred. Apply, 10 o'clock, W. and A. McARTHUR, LTD., 79 York-street.

WANTED, a smart JUNIOR SALESWOMAN, with 1 or 2 years' experience in Fancy Leather Goods, age 16 to 18. Apply Mr. Whitelaw, DAVID JONES, LTD.

WANTED, LAD, 18 years of age, for Mill. Apply Mr. Meyers, BEALE and CO., Ltd., Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

WANTED, STRONG YOUTH. Apply Mr. Meyers, BEALE and CO., Ltd., Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

WANTED, a YOUNG LADY, Confidential Position, first-class Country Hotel, competent to perform ordinary Office Duties and Assist in Bar. Previous experience preferred, but not imperative. Apply first instance, HARTFELL, Herald.

WANTED, a YOUNG MAN, as Chemist's Assistant (unqualified), with country experience, must be competent dispenser and smart counter hand, permanent position if suitable. Apply at once, stating salary expected, to H. J. WILLIAMS and SON, Chemists, Wagga Wagga.

WANTED, COAT HANDS. In our Ladies' Tailoring Department. Apply, any time, E. WAY and CO., Pitt-street.

WANTED, TWO SMART YOUTHS, for our Laces and Ribbons Departments. Wholesale experience essential. Apply, 10 o'clock, W. and A. McARTHUR, LTD., 79 York-street.

WANTED, Experienced Young Ladies for our LACE and EMBROIDERY Departments. Apply Manager's Office, 9.30 a.m., to-day. GRACE BROS., THE MODEL STORE, BROADWAY.

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WE HAVE VACANCIES in our LACE Workroom for YOUNG LADIES just leaving school. Apply this morning, 9.30, Manager's Office, GRACE BROS., THE MODEL STORE, BROADWAY.

WANTED, MEN, as CLEANERS, those with Lift Certificates preferred. Apply to Mr. Lockstone, this morning, 9.30. GRACE BROS., THE MODEL STORE, BROADWAY.

WANTED, Smart YOUTHS, Age 16 to 19 years. Good Writers. Apply Manager's Office, GRACE BROS., THE MODEL STORE, BROADWAY.

WANTED, for our UNDERCLOTHING WORKROOM, APPRENTICES, IMPROVERS, and MACHINISTS. Permanent Positions. Good Wages. Apply UNDERCLOTHING DEPARTMENT, W. T. WATERS and CO., Ltd., King and George streets, city.

WANTED, YOUNG LADY, First-class Typiste. Must be good at Invoicing and Figures, no others need apply. One used to Wholesale Grocery Business preferred. Salary to commence, 25s. Copy of references only to Box 1739, G.P.O.

WANTED, BOYS, wages 14s per week to commence. No Work on Saturdays. Apply WILLIAM ARNOTT, LIMITED, Homebush.

YOUNG Lady, to assist in office. Apply York-chambers, 56 Market-st, mornings.

YOUNG GIRL wanted to assist in shop. Christie, 548 Parramatta-rd, Petersham.

YOUNG LADY, about 16, light office work, temporary pos., salary 10s. Ap., own handwr., Scribe, Herald

YOUNG Woman wanted, for fruit shop and assist. 141 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

YOUTH wanted, for Factory, good wages. Syphon Company, 539 Elizabeth-st, city.

YOUTH, 18 to 20, energetic, take charge tailor., mer. bus. dur. emp. absence. Responsible, Herald.

YOUNG LADY, JUNIOR CLERK, required, one used to card index preferable. Apply personally, ROWLAND WARD, Ltd., Tea Merchants, 8 O'Connell-street.

YOUNG GIRL wanted for soft drink saloon. Wages 12s 6d to commence. BASS, 656 George-street, city.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER wanted, 2 single men, no baking. J. Joyce, Merry Vale, Young.

A YOUNG Nurse Girl wanted daily for 2 young children, walking. Roskear, Darling Point-rd.

A HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS wanted. Apply Glenholm, 140 Phillip-st.

AT 93 Pitt-st.—H.P. Ms., 15s; c'try, 17s; 2 Mds. or L. Hs., 16s, 14s; Ck.-Ls., stn., £1; Ck., stn., £1.

AT Mrs. PETERS', 41 Eliz.-st (upstairs).—2nd Cook, 25s; C. and L'dress, 20s; Gens., H'mds., 14s, 18s.

A HORSE-DRIVER, for stn., 25s; also Boy, 15s. Mrs. Woodin, 52 P.O.-chbs., 114A Pitt-st, op. P.O.

ARTARMON.—Smart GIRL required, light work. Hertford, Robert-st, North Shore line.

A GOOD PLAIN COOK or KITCHENMAID. 24 Bayswater-rd, Darlinghurst.

A GOOD Working Housekeeper wanted, all duties, 1 Lady. 178 Commonwealth-st, nr. Albion-st.

A TIDY little Girl, just left school, mind child, walking. Cor. Redfern and Botany sts, Redfern.

ACTIVE Person, to assist, no washing, man kept, private family. 195 George-st, Redfern.

A LADY HELP or W. Hkpr., maid kept, for Hornsby, 14s, int. 11.30. Y.W.C.A., 161 Castlereagh-st.

AT Mrs. Perrie's, 143 Castlereagh-st.—Wanted, House-Parlour Maid, Glen Innes, Mus'brook; Wom. Cooks.

A YOUNG Woman, priv. housework, no wash., small fam., good wages, Star Hotel, Bourke-st, L. Domn.

A RESPECTABLE GIRL wanted, for housework, high wages, good home. 643 Dowling-st, Moore Park.

A GENERAL, also a Nurse, to assist housework. Apply 21 Gurner-st, off Glenmore-rd, Paddington.

AT 72 Enmore-rd.—2 Cooks, cty, hotels; 2 Maids, station, 20s, 15s; Gen., 15s; 2 A., with c.

A RESP. yg. Woman wanted, housewk., no cooking, gas stove, gd. home. 349 Dowling-st, Moore Pk.

A LIGHT GENERAL, no wash., wages 14s, walking child not objec. 211 Bridge-rd, Glebe.

AT 208 Victoria-st, Darlinghurst, Kitchenman wanted, 14s week. Mdme. Desjardins.

A Y. GEN., 14s, no washing; 2 H.Mds., 14s; 1 P. Md., 15s. Davies, 2 Australia-st, Ntwn. T., 566.

A RESPECTABLE young WOMAN wanted as general, easy place, sleep home. 153 George-st West.

A LIGHT GENERAL, no washing, wages 14s. 211 Bridge-rd.

A GOOD General, assist in bar. By letter, 142 Church-st, Parramatta. 'Phone, 341.

A GOOD HOUSEBOY, respectable, wanted for Carlton-chambers, 184 Phillip-st. Apply 1 and 2 p.m.

A GOOD plain COOK and Laundress, for station, Orange, wages £1. Apply Friday. SPEY, West Esplanade, Manly.

A NURSERY GOVERNESS, R.C., no music, 3 girls, country, £30. Mrs. MOTTA, Atlantic Coffee Palace, Mort-street, Mort's Dock. Tel., 392 Balmain.

A MOTHER and Daughter, station, £100 p.a.; Cooks, 25s, 25s, 30s, 40s; useful Man, 20s; Boy for kitchen, 12s; H'maids, 15s. Austral Ag., 65 Eliz.-st. T. 2551 City.

A COMPETENT COOK and LAUNDRESS, 4 in fam., £1 weekly. 6th House, Manning-road, Double Bay. 2 minutes from tram. Tel., 715 Edgecliff.

A COOK and LAUNDRESS wanted, 18s; Cook, £1; young General, no washing or housework, 15s. LOVE'S REGISTRY, Smith-street, Summer Hill.

A M. Couple, work together, £60; Barman, city, £2; Useful, hotel, 20s; Ck., b.-h., 30s; Ck., Mts., 20s; L'drem, Mts., 20s; Pantrymd., city; 2 Hmds.-W., htl., ctry., 16-, 15s; Wts., 17s 6d. Campbell, 68 Eliz.-st.

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AT RYAN and CO.'S, 65 ELIZABETH-ST, CITY.
WAITRESS, assist bar, £1, good country hotel.
WAITRESSES, 16s; Housemaids, 15s, country hotels.
MOTHER and DAUGHTER, stations £100, hotels £100.
COOK-LAUNDRESSES, stations 25s, hotels 25s.
COOKS, Male and Female; GENERALS, £1.
STATION HANDS, 25s; OTHER POSITIONS.

AT ISRAEL'S, 27 ELIZABETH-STREET.
COOK, MAN, SUBS., 40s; WOMAN COOKS, 20s.
SCULLERYMAN, CLUB, 25s; PANTRY YOUTH, 15s.
SMART BOY, COMML. HOTEL, GOULBURN, 10s, Tips.
HOUSEBOY, KATOOMBA, 15s; Laundress, 20s, same.
YOUTHS, assist MILK CART, 15s, 17s 6d, 20s.
Laundress, 20s, Katoomba; Housemaid, Laundry, 20s; Waitress Housemaids, Waitresses, FIFTY VACANCIES.

BARMAID for first-class city saloon, 25s. Frith's Agency, 60 Elizabeth-st.

BAKER, single hand, Northern L.; sec.-hand, Northern river, 35s and kp. Frank and James, 18 Eliz.-st.

SERVANTS WANTED.

BOY wanted for buggy. Salkeld and Wallace, 14 Smith-st, Camperdown.

BARMAID, 1st-class city saloon. Before 11 a.m., Darcy Griffiths, 16 Eliz.-st. T., City 1965.

BARMAID, hotel, Illawarra line, treated as one of family, 20s. Martel, 205 Castlereagh-st, nr. Bath.-st.

BARMAID, first-class city hotel (saloon). Frith's Agency, 60 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAIDS, saloon, lead. city hotel, 25s; subs., 20s. Cooper's, 24 Linden-court, Market-C'reagh sts.

BOY, for country hotel, 15s, kitchen and milk, easy. Atlantic Coffee Palace, Mort-street, Mort's Dock. Tel., 392 Balmain.

BARMAN, 40s; BARMAIDS (2), city, public bar, Church of England pref.; 2 Waitresses, S. line, 14s; 2 Usefuls, S. line, 20s; Kit'maid, 20s; Lady Helps, 14s. WALKER'S, Elizabeth-street.

BARMAID, young girl, for Noumea. RABBITER, able work dogs, station, 20s and skins. COOK, for hut and barracks, 25s, no baking. MYERS' AGENCY 35 ELIZABETH-STREET.

BLACKSMITHS, country, £3 5s, £3, fares paid. STATION CARPENTER, 30s, keep. See us early. BAKERS (3), country. 45s, 40s, keep; also £3. CARLOS H. SIMMONDS, 188 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

BARMAID, saloon, leading hotel. BARMAN, young man, city, references. USEFUL H.M., assist bar; H'MAID. Light GENERAL, WAITRESSES (2). Country, JAPANESE COOK, interview 12. F. COOK, 25s; WAITRESSES, Paterson, Walgett, Narrabri; COOK, F., Macleay. THE HOTEL EMPLOYERS' BUREAU, 17-18 Linden-court, Market and C'reagh streets.

BLACKSMITHS, for stations (2), 30s a week each.
MAN COOK, for station, Mudgee, no bread, 35s.
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ATTENDANT (institution), 30s and keep.
GROOM and GARDENER, Dr., subs., 20s and keep.
STATION HANDS (3), milk and kill, 20s each.
WOMAN COOKS (2), no bread, good stations, 20s week each, 1 at 25s.
H'MAID-LAUNDRESS, for bach. quarters, S. line, 25s, good place.
H. and P. MAID, W. Line, 20s; 3 others, 16s, 17s 6d.
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L. HELP, subs., no washing, good home, 15s.
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WANTED, a yng. Girl, for ctry., or Lady Help. Apply Manilla House, Bourke-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Starch Ironer, 3 days week. Millbrook Laundry, 63 Elizabeth-st, Paddington.

WANTED, compt. Help, Prot., no washing, Sat. and Sun. afts. out, references. H.B., P.O., Woollahra.

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